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The values we are offering in Footwear for Spring. Special Bargains for all Below we quote a few of the prices, but you must see the goods to be convinced. Look them over.

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Thursday, April 13th

The Famous Author Actor

N. C. I. EXAMINATIONS.

Lower School (Division A.)

Science—Godfrey Bartlett, Gray Eakins, Emily Ungar, Ruth Gordon, Justin O'Brien, Kenneth Kimmerly, Ada Cronkwright, Loretta Doyle, Kathryn Greene, equal; Gladys Woodcock, Helen Trickey.

Arithmetic—Isabel McGurn, Loretta Doyle, Gray Eakins, Clarke Emmons, Justin O'Brien, Volney Woods, Dwight Joyce, Hazel Shannon, Ada Cronkwright, Godfrey Bartlett, Egerton Boyce, Bernice Kayler, equal.

Grammar—Loretta Doyle, Gray Eakins, Hazel VanAlstyne, Isabel McGurn, Ada Cronkwright, Maggie Gleeson, Hazel Shannon, Ruth Gordon, Clarke Emmons, equal; Martha Wagar, Gladys Woodcock, Bernice Kayler.

French—Gray Eakins, Hazel Shannon, Loretta Doyle, Kathryn Green, Ada Cronkwright, Isabel McGurn, Livonia Grange, Ruth Gordon, Hazel VanAlstyne, equal; Bernice Kayler, Annie McKim, Martha Wagar, Helen Trickey, Arthur Dickens, Maggie Gleeson, Ralph Sills.

History—Ruth Gordon, Loretta Doyle, Justin O'Brien, Bernice Kayler, Isabel McGurn, equal; Helen Trickey, Gray Eakins, Ada Cronkwright, Ralph Sills, Teresa Hawkins, Maggie Gleeson, equal; Volney Woody, Hazel VanAlstyne.

Composition—Gladys Woodcock, Helen Trickey, Ruth Gordon, Loretta Doyle, Gray Eakins, Kathryn Green, Maggie Gleeson, Vera Armstrong, Clarke Emmons, Ralph Sills, equal; Bernice Kayler, Ada Cronkwright, Volney Woods, equal; Lelia Grange, Isabel McGurn, equal; Martha Wagar, Hazel Shannon, Godfrey Bartlett, Roy Armstrong equal.

Lower School (Division B)

Science—Lorenia Wilson, Rose Kelly, Ethel Robinson, Carrie Campbell, Gladys Rikley, Aileen Anderson, Robert Stark, equal; Gertie Donovan, Cora Hudgins, equal; Myrtle Edwards, Joseph Brickley, equal; Maie Miller, Neta Dinner, equal; Edna Haviland, Marguerite Hopkins, Ross Brown, Harry Schermehorn, equal.

Grammar—Lorenia Wilson, Cora Hudgins, Edna Haviland, Annie Herrington, Carrie Campbell, Gertie Donovan, equal; Rose Kelly, Hattie Herrington, Florence Dettlor, Margaret Hudgins, Gladys Rikley, equal; Marguerite Hopkins, Kenneth Ham, Marie Miller, equal; Mabel Edwards.

French—Carrie Campbell, Annie Herrington, equal; Rose Kelly, Lorenia Wilson, Kenneth Ham, Helen Taylor, Edna Haviland, Cora Hudgins, equal; Grace Joyce, Aileen Anderson, Joseph Brickley, Olive Pringle, equal; Margaret Hudgins, Gladys Rikley, equal; Hattie Herrington, Ethel Robinson.

Arithmetic—Lorenia Wilson, Florence Dettlor, equal; Carrie Campbell, Joseph Brickley, equal; Mabel Edwards, Rose Kelly, James Bartlett, Gertie Donovan, Hattie Herrington, Annie Herrington, equal; Morley Perry, Robert Stark, equal; Cora Hudgins, Donald Walker, Ibril Sills.

Latin—Annie Herrington, Edna Haviland, Carrie Campbell, Lorenia Wilson, Rose Kelly, Kenneth Ham, Mabel Edwards, Aileen Anderson, Gertie Donovan, Helen Taylor, equal; Robert Stark, Malcolm McQuaig, Grace Joyce, Joseph Brickley, equal; Marie Miller, Myrtle Edwards, Cora Hudgins, Gladys Rikley.

Book-Keeping—Lorenia Wilson, Joseph Brickley, Carrie Campbell, Annie Herrington, Florence Dettlor, Rose Kelly, Hattie Herrington, Malcolm McQuaig, equal; Bogart Wilson, Mabel Edwards, Frank Parks, Morley Perry, equal; Cora Hudgins.

Art—Florence Dettlor, Marie Miller, Jessie Cleall, Carrie Campbell, equal; Harry Pringle, Gladys Rikley, equal; Robert Stark, Ibril Sills, equal; Ethel Robinson, Ross Brown, Cora Hudgins, Frank Parks, Rose Kelly, equal.

Lower School (Division C.)

Morrow, Edna Laidley, Flossie Baldwin, Clarence Windover, Marie Blakely, Willie McLaughlin, Laura Rockwell, equal; Bella Allen, Susie Donovan, Walter Dettlor, Clarence Wartman, equal.

Algebra—Laura Rockwell, Flossie Baldwin, Susie Donovan, equal; Lucy Scott, Edna Morrow, Margaret Whitman, equal; Bella Allen, Walter Dettlor, Livonia Grange, Kenneth Cambridge, Edna Laidley, equal; Clarence Windover, Ena Johnston, Florence Ballance.

British and Canadian History—Jack Hetherington, Edna Laidley, Florence Ballance, equal; Bella Allen, Kenneth Cambridge, Charlie Fitzpatrick, Willie McLaughlin, Marie Blakely, Walter Dettlor, equal.

Physics—Charlie Fitzpatrick, Walter Dettlor, Flossie Baldwin, Edna Laidley, George Grange, Clarence Wartman, equal; Willie McLaughlin, Ernest Wagar, Clarence Windover, Susie Donovan, equal; Jack Hetherington.

Chemistry—Flossie Baldwin, Clarence Wartman, Susie Donovan, Edna Laidley, Willie McLaughlin, Bella Allen, equal; Clarence Windover.

Upper School.

French—Marion McCall, Muriel Paul, Edna File, James Lapum.

Composition—Edith Milling, Limbert Graham, equal; Aubrey Cowan, James Lapum, Lulu Hill, Grace Asselstine, equal. German—Marion McCall, Muriel Paul, Edna File.

Latin—Marion McCall, Edna File, Stanley Henderson, Lulu Hill, Muriel Paul, equal; George Scott, Grace Asselstine, Edith Milling, Bidwell Conway.

Analytical Geometry—George Scott, Aubrey Cowan, Grace Asselstine.

Trigonometry—George Scott, Grace Asselstine, Edith Milling, James Lapum.

Algebra—George Scott, Edith Milling, Grace Asselstine.

Mediaeval History—Leila Johnston, Limbert Graham, equal; Aubrey Cowan, Edith Milling.

Physics—Aubrey Cowan, Grace Asselstine.

Biology—Stanley Henderson, Aubrey Cowan, Marion McCall, Edith Milling.

Modern History—Muriel Paul, Marion McCall, Stanley Henderson, Edith Milling.

POMPEII.

The lecture delivered last Friday night at the meeting of the Historical Society on "Pompeii, a walk through the Streets of a once buried City," by Professor G. W. Johnston of the University of Toronto, was most interesting. Professor Johnston illustrated his lecture throughout with an excellent series of views, a great many of the slides having been made from photographs which he had taken when visiting the ancient City. He opened his lecture with a short description of the country about Pompeii, and by means of a map explained the location of Vesuvius, the character of the mountain before the eruption, and the routes of trade and commerce of the people who inhabited the country in about the year 100 B. C. Coupled with this, he gave some of the history of the destruction of the City and explained what records exist which tell of the catastrophe. The next picture was a plan, showing Pompeii as it is to-day, part of the plan showing the excavated portion, and part that which is still buried. This gave an excellent idea of the lay-out of the city, the location of the principal places of interest and the general contour. After this there were numerous views of the streets, the shops, public building, residences and public squares and then the audience was taken into the homes. This part of the subject, Professor, Johnston has

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DESERONTO ROAD.

H. W. Sager is still to be seen in our midst occasionally, having moved recently to his new home in Deseronto. Messrs. Arthur and Escott Rose have been drawing wood for Ed McCaul.

An old and much respected lady, Mrs. McMaster, passed very suddenly away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Bowen, near the Boundry Road.

Mr. Victor Vandervoort, of Napanee, who has been staying with his sister, Mrs. Herb File, for a couple of weeks, has returned home quite recuperated in health.

Mr. Austin Kimmery has been re-engaged by Mr. Gerow, of the Palace Road cheese factory, and will draw the milk the coming season the same as last year.

Mr. Thomas Thompson has been hauling sand from Sand Hill for building purposes in the spring.

Quite a heavy fall of snow visited this locality last week and the weather has been very backward and cold ever since. Cutters were again called into use, especially on Sunday last.

Mr. Lorne Oliver, of Calgary, who came home last fall on account of ill health, has greatly improved and with his wife and family expects to return to the West before long.

Liquid Veneer for Pianos.

Liquid Veneer is a high grade furniture polish good enough to use on the piano or the best piece of furniture in the house. It brightens everything up. To be had in Napanee at Wallace's Drug Store in 25c, 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

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Lower School (Division C.)

French—Mabel Milling, Marion Magee, Louis Ming, Gertrude Metzler, Lizzie Murphy, Alae Prout, Hazel Parks, Florence Haviland, Frances Conger, Frances Leonard, Jennie Dudgeon, Hugh Perry, Percy Vrooman, equal; Jessie Empey.

History—Jennie Dudgeon, Marion Magee, Gertrude Metzler, Louis Ming, Blanche Williams, Jack Soby, Cecil Wilson, equal; Kathleen Greer, Caroline Perry, Ada Asselstine, Lizzie Murphy, Florence Haviland, John Walsh, equal; Frances Conger, Grace Wilson, Percy Vrooman, Hugh Perry.

Arithmetic—John Walsh, Leo Scrimshaw, Frances Wagar, Marion Magee, Allie Prout, Clare Snook, Hugh Perry, Hazel Parks, Louis Ming, Mabel Milling, Frances Leonard, equal; Ada Asselstine, Kathleen Greer, equal; Percy Vrooman, Cecil Wilson, equal.

Composition—Gertrude Metzler, Marion Magee, Mabel Milling, Caroline Perry, Louis Ming, Frances Leonard, Constance Nesbit, equal; Carrie Cowan, Edith Vanluven, equal; Florence Haviland, Jack Soby, Douglas Ham, John Walsh, Jennie Dudgeon, Ada Asselstine, Clare Snook, Grace Wilson, equal; Edmund Doupe, Percy Vrooman, equal.

Science—Hazel Parks, Allie Prout, John Walsh, Edmund Doupe, Lizzie Murphy, Jennie Dudgeon, Marion Magee, Mabel Milling, Gertrude Metzler, Frances Leonard, Hugh Perry, equal.

Book-Keeping—Leo Scrimshaw, Clare Snook, Kathleen Greer, Frances Wagar.

Algebra—John Walsh, Percy Vrooman, Marion Magee, Hugh Perry, Hazel Parks, Allie Prout, Gordon Campbell, Louis Ming, equal; Frances Leonard, Edith Vanluven.

Middle School (Division A.)

German—Hilda McGreer, Annie Cooper, Evelyn Gleeson.

Arithmetic—Minnie Perry, Gertie Clarke, Roy Scrimshaw, Russell Williams, equal; Luella Pringle, Annie Cooper, Elsie Woodcock, Minnie Perry, George Masters, Gordon Anderson, Arthur Down, Leonard Brown, Cora Morrow, Adeline Baker, equal.

Latin—Hilda McGreer, Evelyn Gleeson, Cora Morrow, Elsie Woodcock, Mabel Dubar, equal; Maisie Stark, Annie Cooper, equal; Leonard Brown, Edith Edwards, Mabel Anderson, equal; Florence Sexsmith, Gordon Anderson.

Composition—Elsie Woodcock, Adeline Baker, Russell Williams, equal; Mabel Dunbar, Annie Cooper, equal; Hilda McGreer, Cora Morrow, Frank Mills, equal; Edith Edwards, George Masters, Gordon Anderson, Minnie Parks, Roy Scrimshaw. Grammar—Adeline Baker, Evelyn Gleeson, Annie Cooper, Hilda McGreer, equal; Cora Morrow, Elsie Woodcock, Gertrude Clarke, Frances Wagar, Luella Pringle, equal; Mabel Anderson, Gordon Anderson, Minnie Perry, Roy Scrimshaw, equal; George Masters, Mabel Dunbar, Minnie Parks, equal.

Science—George Masters, Grace Ward, equal; Evelyn Gleeson, Cora Morrow, equal; Florence Sexsmith, Maisie Stark, Minnie Perry, equal; Edith Edwards.

Middle School (Division B.)

Literature—Florence Ballance, Susie Donovan, Bella Allen, Charlie Fitzpatrick, Edna Laidley, Kenneth Cambridge, Florence Walker, Walter Detlor, Laura Rockwell, equal; Ernest Wagar, Jack Hetherington, equal; Donald Fitzpatrick.

Composition—Ene Johnston, Bella Allen, Livonia Grange, Willie McGreer, Florence Ballance, Kathleen McCarten, Flossie Baldwin, Lucy Scott, equal; Edna Laidley, Marie Blakely, equal; Ernest Wagar, Willie McLaughlin, Margaret Whiteman, Florence Walker, equal; Kenneth Cambridge, Jack Hetherington, equal.

Latin—Flossie Baldwin, Susie Donovan, Ernest Wagar, Florence Ballance, Donald Fitzpatrick, Willie McGreer, Marie Blakely, Edna Laidley, Lucy Scott, equal; Bella Allen, Vivian McLaughlin, Willie McLaughlin, equal.

Ancient History—Florence Ballance, Bella Allen, Edna Laidley, Charlie Fitzpatrick, equal; Willie McLaughlin, Lucy Scott, Kenneth Cambridge, Jack Hetherington, Flossie Baldwin, Susie Donovan, Walter Detlor, equal; Marie Blakely. Geometry—Margaret Whiteman, Edna

as it is to-day, part of the plan showing the excavated portion, and part that which is still buried. This gave an excellent idea of the lay-out of the city, the location of the principal places of interest and the general contour. After this there were numerous view of the streets, the shops, public building, residences and public squares and then the audience was taken into the homes. This part of the subject, Professor Johnston has certainly studied with excellent results. It would be difficult for any one to hear the lecture and see the pictures and not be able to describe the interior of a Pompeian home. One most interesting item was the character of the slides used to show the various works of art in the form of wall panels, mosaics, glass jars, gold, silver and brass, copper and bronze pieces and statues. Many of these slides were hand painted, and the very delicate blending of the colors to reproduce the effect of the original was beautifully done. One panel picture and that of the old glass vase are worthy of particular mention, if we may be allowed to show a preference when so many deserve notice. Prof. Johnston left his hearers wandering in the room of the peristyle, in the home of a Pompeian nobleman, after giving them a most interesting and instructive evening. The President of the Society, thanked the lecturer for his goodness in coming to Napanee at this busy season of the College year. He then announced that the next meeting would be held on Friday evening April 28th., the subject to be announced later. The meeting closed with "God Save the King."

MARLBANK.

The roads in this section are in a bad state at present, and farmers are putting in their time by way of sugar making.

Mr. Robert McFarlin, of Roblin has moved his traction engine to Marlbank, where he will be engaged for some time cutting lumber for Mr. George McFarlin.

Mr. Robert Perry has bought the dwelling house formerly owned by Mr. John Summerville, and is converting it into a store, and intends moving his store there in a short time.

Mr. W. J. Wilson is building a blacksmith shop, which will add to the convenience of the public.

Messrs. F. Monk and Frank Davis opened up a new butcher stall, and are doing a thriving business. We wish them success in their undertaking, as we feel that is something that has been needed in this place for some time.

We are pleased to see the Cement Works progressing so nicely under the able management of its new superintendent, Mr. Henderson.

Mr. W. O'Keefe, our hotel keeper, has taken a trip to the coast, where he intends spending a few weeks.

Mr. Robertson, of Tamworth, has been engaged as cheese-maker for the coming season.

We are sorry to say that Miss Mable York is quite sick at present, also her brother Will, with pneumonia.

There are quite a few on the sick list at present.

Weddings are very numerous and rumor says several more to follow.

Several were disappointed Tuesday evening on not getting their mail, as the mail train did not arrive until about midnight.

I tell you boys that our new post office inspector, H. W. of Roblin, is right on his job, as he never misses a Sunday, and quite frequently during the week. He does not call it Sabbath breaking, he complains more of breaking roads. He did not catch cold although it rained pretty heavy on Sunday evening, as I hear he has been on duty ever since.

That good white paint for boats.

We call your attention again to our marine or steamboat white paint for inside work. It does not turn yellow and we have it in convenient sizes, 20c upwards at Wallace's Drug Store. Ask for sample color card of Japalac or Campbell's varnish stains, Prism brand or Ramsay's paints, good floor paint, white oil for hardwood floors, hard oil finish, etc.

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Balance	Expended	Appropriation	Committee
\$844 25	\$158 77	\$800 00	Streets
849 45	650 55	1500 00	Fire Water and Light
22 50	272 81	200 00	Town Property
4 77	177 50	200 00	Printing
	20 23	25 00	Market and Police
	56 51	50 00	Poor and Sanitary
			Merchants Bank overdraft \$289 01.
			Laid on the table.

Moved by Reeve Alexander, seconded by Coun. Denison, that the balance of the Collector's account, \$800.00, be referred to the Finance Committee with power to act. Carried.

On motion of Coun. Waller and Reeve Alexander interim appropriations were made to the following committees: Town Property \$150, Poor and Sanitary \$100 and Market and Police \$25.00.

On motion the monthly report of the treasurer was adopted.

The following accounts were ordered paid:

E. J. Pollard	8 30 50
P. Gleeson	8 75
C. A. Anderson & Son	1 00
Bell Telephone Co.	85
W. J. Normile	2 00
E. L. Commissioners, Mar. acct.	
Street lighting	265 83
Town hall	22 00
Fire hall	4 20
Post office clock	11 80
Wiring at fire hall	3 07
Work at Wright house	50 59

Council adjourned.

Straw Hat Coloring.

Get it any shade at Wallace's Drug Store. Easily applied, makes hat any color you want.

Bowmanville Sells Their Electric Light Plant to Electric Power Co.

By a large majority the ratepayers of the Town of Bowmanville have carried a by-law to sell their Electric Light Plant to the Electric Power Co. The citizens of Bowmanville after going into the matter very carefully with the company's experts decided that the Electric Power Co., with its large resources and numerous transmission lines and plants for producing power could give the town a better and cheaper service than the corporation could supply and could also extend the town's lighting system very much and by an increased consumption of power in Bowmanville, the rate to consumers will be reduced. The policy of the Ontario Electric Co., has been and is now to furnish large quantities of power and lights at low rates rather than smaller quantities at higher rates, thus making their policy an attractive one for both municipal corporations and private consumers. The Ontario Electric Co., are the purchasers of the Napanee river power at Napanee. We understand the company are negotiating with other parties who have power rights on the river with a view to purchasing all the rights on the Napanee river.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which mortgage will be produced at time of sale there will be offered for sale by public auction at Fitzmartin's hotel, in the village of Newburgh, on SATURDAY, APRIL 8TH, 1911, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the following real estate: 1) and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Village of Newburgh, in the County of Lennox and Addington, and Province of Ontario, and being composed of lots numbers one (1) and two (2) on the east side of Brock street, in the said Village of Newburgh.

For further particulars apply to MATTHEW RYAN, Newburgh, or to HERRINGTON, WARNER & GRANGE, vendors' solicitors, Napanee, Ont.

Dated this 18th day of March, A. D., 1911.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of Alfred Clark, late of the Township of Tyendinaga, in the County of Hastings, farmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 129, Section 38, and amending acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of Alfred Clark, late of the Township of Tyendinaga, in the County of Hastings, deceased, who died on or about the 24th day of October, A. D., 1910, are required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Thomas Donnelly, Deseronto, Ontario, for the executors of the last will and testament of the said Alfred Clark deceased, on or before the 1st DAY OF MAY, A. D., 1911, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them.

And further take notice that after the said 1st day of May, A. D., 1911, the said under-mentioned Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which she shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands she has not received notice at the time of the distribution thereof.

ROSETTA C. CLARK, Deseronto, Ontario. Executrix.

Dated this 25th day of March, A. D., 1911. 16-d

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF GEORGE E. HAWLEY, of the Township of Camden, in the County of Lennox and Addington, Farmer, Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the above named debtor has made an assignment to me of all his estate and effects for the general benefit of his creditors under R. S. O., 1910, Chapter 64.

A meeting of the creditors will be held at my office, in the Court House, in the Town of Napanee, on SATURDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF APRIL, 1911, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of the appointment of inspectors, fixing their remuneration, and that of the Assignee, and the giving of directions for the disposal of the estate.

Creditors having claims against the estate are requested to file the same with me, verified by affidavit, on or before the day of said meeting.

And notice is further given that after the 29th day of April, 1911, the Assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have received notice.

GEO. D. HAWLEY, Sheriff, Assignee.

Dated at Napanee this 30th day of March, 1911. 16b

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of W. J. Finlay & Co., Insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that William James Finlay, of the Township of Camden, in the County of Lennox and Addington, carrying on business as a manufacturer under the firm name and style of W. J. Finlay & Co., at the said Township of Camden, has made an assignment under the Preferences and Assignments Act of all his estate, credits and effects to Marshall Campbell Bogart, of the Town of Napanee, for the general benefit of his creditors.

A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the said Marshall Campbell Bogart, in the Town of Napanee, on THURSDAY, THE 13TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D., 1911, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors and fix their remuneration, and for the ordering of the estate generally.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the assignee with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Act, on or before the day of such meeting.

And notice is further given that after the 1st day of May, 1911, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the debtor amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice.

MARSHALL CAMPBELL BOGART, Assignee.

Dated at Napanee this 30th day of March, 1911. 16-b

street, "The Mrs. Margaret Leeson property," an ideal home, centrally situated, convenient to market, post office and church. In good state of repairs, front and back stairs, spacious rooms, good well at the door, everything convenient. Barn and full lot. Easy terms. Also the Willett Arnold farm at Forest Mills, 60 acres, part of lots 13 and 14, in the 8th concession of Richmond. Good building and choice land, and well watered. Will sell right as owner has moved to the Northwest. MANTLY, JOX ES, Insurance and Real Estate Agent, Box 526, Grange Block, Napanee. 17f

EXECUTORS' NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the estate of William Saul, deceased

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 129, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, section 38, and amending acts, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Wm. Saul, late of the Township of Camden, in the County of Lennox and Addington, retired farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 5th day of February, A. D. 1911, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to John English, Esq., Napanee, Ontario, solicitor for the executors of the last will and testament of the said William Saul, deceased, on or before the 18th day of April, A. D. 1911, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them.

And further take notice that after the said 18th day of April, A. D. 1911, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they have not received notice at the time of the distribution thereof.

JOHN ENGLISH, ESQ., Solicitor for the said executors

Dated the 15th day of March, 1911. 15-d

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Estate of Anne Decker, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 129, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Section 38, and Amending Acts, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Anne Decker, late of the Village of Odessa, in the County of Lennox and Addington, widow, deceased, who died on or about the 30th day of November, A. D. 1907, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to J. L. Whiting, Esq., K. C., Kingston, Ontario, solicitor for Beatrice R. Mayboe, executrix of the last will and testament of the said Anne Decker, deceased, on or before the 18th DAY OF APRIL, A. D., 1911, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them.

And further take notice that after the said 18th day of April, A. D., 1911, the said Executrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which they shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands they have not received notice at the time of distribution thereof.

J. L. WHITING, Solicitor for the said Executrix

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The municipal authorities of Berlin. The authorities of Berlin, Germany, propose to put a tax of from 10 to 25 per cent on theatre, concert, They "need the money," and count on getting some \$250 000 a year by taxing amusements. The people of Berlin are protesting against this "tax on happiness." They think it a piece of folly and injustice to raise the cost of simple and harmless pleasures. No doubt they are right, but would they prefer another tax on food, shelter, transportation and the other necessities of life? And where would the practical difference show itself? If the city needs more revenue the citizens will supply it in any case, and the tax on happiness cannot be dodged, for the man who pays more for his necessities has less to spend on innocent diversion and artistic culture.

The objection to any measure of taxation is objection to substance, not to form. The trouble is that government costs too much, thanks to militarism, waste, graft, inefficiency. The burden of taxation grows heavier every year, and this may lead to insurrection and revolution. What we need in government, general and local, is more economy and more efficiency in every direction, and less, much less, cant and humbug in the name of "defense," "national honor," "glory" and what not. Good government is a blessing, for it means order, security, health, convenience, beauty. But bad government is oppression and plunder of the poor and toiling millions in the interest of parasites, loafers and grafters.

It is reported from Paris that Mme. Curie, the discoverer of radium, has at last succeeded in obtaining that elusive substance pure. At the end of a complicated process, involving electrolysis and distillation, a minute quantity of the metal itself was secured from salts. It is reported to be white, to oxidize rapidly, to possess a great affinity for iron and to burn paper by mere contact. This last property is serious. Our forests are changing to pulp and our pulp to paper. This has become the age of paper par excellence. It was never easier than it is to-day to set the world ablaze. The materials for quick conflagration blow about the streets and stuff myriads of waste baskets. Ours is not precisely a propitious time for putting pure radium on the market. Fortunately for the general safety, radium is as hard to keep as it is to get. Nature may be relied upon to draw this latest enfant terrible back into its proper and necessary obscurity. The printed word, that crown of our

KEEP YOUR RELIGION SWEET

Feed Your Mind on Clean, Sweet and Wholesome Thoughts

"O, that way madness lies; let me shun that!"—King Lear.

Have you ever noticed how thoughts feel inside your mind? Some are satisfying as bread, some fiery as pepper, some refreshing as water, some heady as wine, and some—and these are they I am going to treat of—lie in the mind's stomach heavy as lead, painful, nauseating, and almost making one sick of life.

These last are thoughts that ferment and do not digest. I once ate a ham sandwich at a railway lunch counter. I found no relief until the physicians had made use of a stomach pump, and I did not recover from the effects for a month. There are certain thoughts that act precisely the same way within the brain; they cause "mental gastritis."

In the mind's cellar everything must be kept sweet and clean, if we do not want to breed spiritual fevers. As soon as an idea begins to "work" and spoil and sour, out with it! It does not pay to go about this bright world with something yeasting and seething in our souls.

It is the very best of foods that spoil the most quickly, such as cream, beefsteak, and butter. The cream, beefsteak, and butter of the soul are love, religion and laughter.

THE VERY MILK OF LIFE.

So it is these things we must watch most carefully. Love, the very milk of life, is worth all that poets have written and fond and foolish heads have dreamed of it. But if love thoughts are going to "keep" and not play havoc within us, we must air our hearts often and keep them clean and be on the watch for the insistent microbe that dearly loves to multiply in a love "culture."

Love made Dante divine, but of Othello it made a crazy fool. Cared for intelligently and kept clean love will give you a heavenly peace and glow—there's nothing like it; but if it becomes unclean and begins to spoil, you will know what eternal punishment is. Whether, therefore, love shall be a radiant shekinah or a driving ruin in the brain is largely a sanitary question.

Laughter is good. It may not save our souls, but it often saves our lives. It prevents insanity. But it is like butter. It must be fresh; likewise clean; also spread not too thickly over the bread of serious business.

No one can eat silod butter, unless he be an Eskimo; and no one, outside a madhouse, can laugh all the time. Some of the saddest people I have known have been those whose only business was to find something to amuse them.

And religion. This is man's greatest passion and privilege; hence, also his greatest danger. Sometimes it is a blessing, and sometimes it seems quite the opposite. It will inspire a Francis of Assisi to amaze the world with his love, a William Booth to lead an altruistic army into the slums, and a Father Damien to consecrate his life to the lepers; and it will strengthen men's moral sinews,

CHEER THEIR HEARTS,

brighten their faces, and cause them to be a sun ray to their fellows and to triumph over death.

And again, sad to say, it seems to make others morose and dark souled, narrow and bigoted, contentions, and even cruel. As was said of liberty, so it may be said of religion, "What crimes have been committed in thy name!"

Whatever may your faith—and every man, even so-called infidels, have a belief of some kind—I wish to make one suggestion: Keep it sweet! Rest assured that if your belief makes you crabbed and pugnacious, or critical, or morose, then it is bad. No matter what your creed is it ought to bring forth the one flower that makes any creed worth while, and that is amiability.

Clean up or cast out every fermenting thought, whether uncleanness or distrust, the memory of a wrong, or the apprehension of disaster. Above all, do not indulge in self-pity, most horrible of all mental toad stools!

"Keep thy heart," said the wise man, "with all diligence, for out of it are the issues of life!"

DR. FRANK CRANE.

JOHN CARSEL'S SON

I.

"It is now time that you faced the responsibilities of life. You must learn the rudiments of business. But not in your father's office. That would be bad for you. After my own, 'Dymock's' is the best-managed house in London. Dymock will take you in to oblige me. You will go through the drudgery like any ordinary office-boy. I shall warn Dymock that there is to be no cod-

member of her sex has done similarly. But be you wise. Answer the bride when age applies it. Your romance of twenty-one will seem ridiculous at forty-two."

John Carsel thought he was finally settling the matter. But he miscalculated. He forgot that, after all, Raymond Carsel was John Carsel's son. And heredity tells.

"I have no desire to continue an unpleasant discussion," said Raymond. "But I wish you to understand that nothing you have said or ever can say will affect the position. I love Ethel Lestern, and I am going to marry her."

"I shall disinherit you the day you do."

The shot was unworthy and went wide. The son's contemptuous smile made the father ashamed of him-

store son to father. The blood-bond between you cannot be severed, even if you would. You do not love him better, but, of course, you have loved him longer, than I. My happiness as his wife would be diminished by the knowledge that I had won it at the cost of yours. In all this I am playing false to Raymond. I would infinitely prefer to wait and wed him. How happy I had hoped to be. How little beyond our own love would have sufficed us. How hateful, how valueless, is all that you have thrust between us."

She paused to regain her breath. John Carsel was unmoved by her emotion.

"I suppose you are expecting me to offer you compensation. Would a hundred pounds appease you?"

A hot blush suffused her cheeks.

"Your insulting suggestion proves how little of his nature Raymond inherits from you. You can see nothing for the glint of gold in your eyes. You think that money has boundless power and that love has a market price. You are wrong both times. Keep your money. I could have added nothing to my happiness yesterday. It could take nothing from my sorrow to-day. I am a child in years and experience compared with you. Yet I know secrets of joy that all your worldly wisdom never taught you. Probably you, too, knew them once—You must have known them once. But you have allowed yourself to forget. The unseen tragedy of your life took place the moment you allowed yourself to forget."

John Carsel stood mute with astonishment. No man ever dared address him as this slip of a girl was doing. Nature had certainly made her beautiful. Love was making her brave. Yet he would not brook such speech from—

He was too late. With swift grace she had turned and was gone.

IV.

Next morning Ethel Lestern was not at her place in Dymock's. During the forenoon Raymond Carsel was called into the private office, handed a month's salary in lieu of notice, and told that his services were no longer required. He was momentarily stunned, but he promptly recovered.

"May I use the firm's name for reference in my applications elsewhere?"

"Certainly."

"My work has been giving satisfaction?"

"Oh, yes."

"Is there any special reason for this abrupt dismissal?"

"We prefer not to discuss the matter."

Raymond smiled contemptuously. It was all quite plain. His father had decided to crush him into submission. Dymock's were doing their part in the plan—the plan that was doomed to fail.

He passed outside and joined the unheeding crowd. He had only one month's salary in his pocket and only one thought in his mind. Where was Ethel, and why had she disappeared?

He remembered that she had wildly spoken of passing out of his life. Could she have been so unselfishly mad as to make the word a deed? His eager inquiries furnished the answer. He found himself a deserted lover, a disinherited son.

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Prof. S. Wentworth, having an experimental farm near Roseville, Cal., has been subjecting both vegetation and farm animals to the influence of electric currents, declaring that his experience already has proved astounding. For example, he reports upon a flock of 2,000 sheep, divided into two flocks of 1,000 each. One of these flocks pastured beneath the power wires of a big electrical plant, while the other flock was far removed. Under electrical influences the reports that the ewes averaged two lambs each, while the ewes in the other flock bore an average of less than one lamb. Also he reports the yield of wool from the electrical currents. The conducting wires are of high voltage, and their effect upon a crop of wheat sown under them is anticipated at 100 per cent. increase above other fields.

FORCE WOMEN TO WORK.

Compulsory Domestic Service Proposed in Germany.

Compulsory domestic service for girls and women as an equivalent to the universal military service incumbent upon man is a novel proposal put forward by Fraulein Pauline Worner, a leading German feminist, in the current number of Die Deutsche Frau of Berlin.

Fraulein Worner points out that compulsory military training has contributed enormously both to the mental and physical development of German manhood, and declares that similar benefits would be inevitable if the women subjects of the Kaiser were compelled to undergo the training for which nature best fits them.

She explains that it could be enforced without burdening the national Budget, and that it is man who would benefit most from the system, because the state would thus assure them competent and experienced housewives. Fraulein Worner thinks the marriage institution would also become more popular if men knew they could select wives who had done service with the "colors" in kitchen, laundry, nursery and sewing-room.

"When it became necessary through the stress of war," concluded Fraulein Worner, "to introduce compulsory military service there were many protests against such a limitation of personal liberty," but Germans have lived to appreciate the incomparable blessings of male conscription. Would it be otherwise in the case of girls and women?

"There might be less of the craze for higher education for women, but fewer girls of our lower classes would be compelled to enter industrial occupations."

responsibilities of me. You must learn the rudiments of business. But not in your father's office. That would be bad for you. After my own, 'Dymock's' is the best-managed house in London. Dymock will take you in to oblige me. You will go through the drudgery like any ordinary office-boy. I shall warn Dymock that there is to be no coddling. If, at the end of your apprenticeship, you present yourself before me with satisfactory credentials, you will be at once admitted to a copartnership."

It was John Carsel, the great city merchant, addressing his son Raymond.

The speech was devoid of sentiment. It was characteristic on that account, for John Carsel was a martinet. He undoubtedly loved his son. That same love was expressed in the brusque business-like remarks he had just made.

Raymond Carsel listened, silent and respectful. His father's training had brought into relief most of the qualities that give grit and grace to youth.

John Carsel was esteemed as a just employer, and respected as a shrewd business rival. As a father, the wells of his affection ran strong and deep. But they never bubbled over.

That was how Raymond Carsel came to be in Dymock's for five years. He went through the mill and proved good corn. He licked stamps, addressed envelopes, and ran errands with great efficiency. He won the favor of his seniors and the goodwill of his juniors.

He was twenty-one and in the last months of his apprenticeship when Ethel Lestren entered his life. Typists were constantly coming and going in such a large establishment; but Ethel Lestren sent a thrill through Dymock's.

Raymond Carsel marked her rare beauty with secret pleasure and appreciation. Duties threw them much together. Raymond tried to make it pleasant for the new hand. She was obviously fearful of not giving satisfaction. Her fears were unnecessary, for she was a model of proficiency. But her modest embarrassment heightened her winsome charm.

II.

Ethel Lestren had been three months in Dymock's. That was how Raymond Carsel was now dating time.

One night he stood suppliant in his father's room.

"Temporary lunacy," John Carsel was saying, angrily. "And you ought to know better than to fire off love speeches at me. By your own admission you never knew the girl existed till three months ago. She is a poverty-stricken typist, and all your talk about her beauty, her goodness, and so on are the vapors of which every love-sick lad is guilty. This is the first time you have disgraced yourself. I give you credit where due. Dymock speaks highly of you. The promised partnership is waiting you here. Frankly I am proud of you; but you are going to make a fool of yourself. You are making a fool of yourself now. No one knows but me, however, and for my own sake I shall be silent. As for this girl, bah! She probably never hoped to marry more than a thirty shillings a week clerk till she found out what a fool you were. She is trading on these fine, unselfish notions of yours. She is planning a sudden social ascent, with you as a stepping stone. Many an astute

mon. But I wish you to understand that nothing you have said or ever can say will affect the position. I love Ethel Lestren, and I am going to marry her."

"I shall disinherit you the day you do."

The shot was unworthy and went wide. The son's contemptuous smile made the father ashamed of himself.

"I could tell you what I think of that remark," said Raymond, "but it would lead me to be disrespectful. I reverence you as the best of fathers, but you had better understand that my liberty is not to be threatened, nor will business or bankbooks separate me from the woman I love. Your reference to her motive misses the mark. She knows nothing of my social position. I preferred to win her on my merits. And I did. She thinks I am a thirty shillings a week clerk. She doesn't know I am John Carsel's only son with all the prospects that meant—and no longer means. For, after this, I shall no longer live at your charge. Thanks to your foresight, I can earn my own living. I am leaving you with the best of feeling. To please you I would have yielded in many things. In this I yield nothing. Good night."

John Carsel sat staring into the fire. Clearly, things were going wrong. But he couldn't see that he was to blame. The wise course was plain, and he had taken it. Insubordination was not to be tolerated. This was insubordination aggravated by insanity.

The iron hand, the unbending will—these had taken John Carsel through all his difficulties hitherto. They should take him through this.

What he forgot was that Raymond Carsel was no longer a boy to be browbeaten, but a man to be reasoned with.

III.

Twenty-four hours later a young lady stood on John Carsel's doorstep to see him.

He was mystified when the visitor entered his presence. For the moment he forgot Raymond's sweetheart, and he started with a predisposition towards this modest, distinguished-looking girl.

"Probably you will resent my intrusion," she said. "I am Ethel Lestren."

"Oh!"

The monosyllable was distinctly hostile.

"I shall leave at once if you wish. But I implore you to hear me. I have come between you and Raymond. I am sorry."

The simple words were the highest eloquence. Against his will they got home to John Carsel's heart.

"Raymond and I have been talking much about it to-day. He will not hear of us parting, as I earnestly counselled."

"Do you love him so little?"

"I love him so much. But I find I have been a cause of discord between you—an unconscious cause. My love was confessed ere I knew that Raymond was more than one of Dymock's staff. I was ready to suffer your suspicions that my love was not motiveless, but when he told me you had separated I decided to sacrifice the sweetest hopes a woman's heart ever cherished. I will efface myself, pass out of Raymond's life, hide myself completely if that will restore you to each other. It is not your unjust sneers that prompt my action. My love for Raymond is great enough to defy these. But I desire to re-

wildly spoken of passing out of his life. Could she have been so unselfishly mad as to make the word a deed? His eager inquiries furnished the answer. He found himself a deserted lover, a disinherited son.

The employment he sought constantly eluded him. He tramped the streets by day, he tenanted cheap lodgings by night. Often he paused dispirited, his destiny in the balance. The abyss, in whose depths is oblivion, yawned before him. But in the hour of temptation he triumphed through his faith in the woman he still loved and who, he knew, still loved him.

In his stately home John Carsel sat solitary, memories of this happy youth accentuating the desolateness of his old age.

He sprang impulsively from his chair one night.

"I'll go and see that girl again," he muttered. "She may be more reasonable now. She may at least reveal where Raymond is and if he is well."

"Ethel isn't here," said the pleasant-looking lady who answered his call; "and I cannot give you her address because I haven't got it. She writes me regularly and she is certainly in London. But I have no idea where."

She led him into the parlor and turned on the light.

"Are you Hester Armit?" asked John Carsel, incredulously.

"Yes. And you are my old friend, John Carsel."

"Your old admirer, John Carsel."

And he looked with unconcealed pleasure at the comely lady before him.

"What have you to do with Ethel Lestren?" he asked.

"She is my sister's daughter. We have lived together since her parents died."

John Carsel was looking rather than listening. Hester Armit's gentle manner and soft grey eyes were a fragrant part of the happy long ago.

"You haven't changed a bit, Hester."

"In appearance, neither have you; but in nature surely you have, when you have parted young lovers, and one of them your own boy."

"I thought it was wise. But it was because I was feeling doubtful of my wisdom that I came here to-night. Suppose, now, that you take a hand in the affair and show me where I have gone wrong."

He drew his chair closer to hers, and began to state his case. The signs that Hester Armit would be able to arrange a satisfactory basis of settlement were numerous and favorable.

Meantime, Raymond Carsel sent many an application out into the void, when no answer ever returned. He sustained his heart on hope, his body on a menu scarcely more tangible. Poverty thrust its ugly visage before him with increasing boldness. He saw how men and women jostled each other in the struggle for existence; and the sight did good to his soul. But it could not break his spirit.

"Ah! Thank Heaven! A reply at last." He seized the envelope eagerly.

"If Mr. Raymond Carsel will call at Messrs. Hood and Tenril's office, at noon, he will hear of something to his advantage."

Raymond was instantly suspicious. Hood and Tenril were his father's lawyers. Was this some plan

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of his father's to give him surreptitious aid?

He would have none of it. He would ignore Hood and Tenril. Yet it would be interesting to hear what they had to say. Out of curiosity he would go.

Promptly at noon he entered the lawyer's office.

"Ah, Mr. Raymond," said old Mr. Hood. "Just step into that inner room. I shall be with you presently."

Raymond obeyed. He entered the room and, closing the door, turned to find himself face to face with Ethel Lestern.

A double-noted exclamation of joy—then silence—a long, delicious silence. The throbbing of reunited hearts was speech enough for glad lovers.

It was long ere the pinioned bird on Raymond Carsel's breast found voice.

"Are you ready to hear something to your advantage?" she whispered.

"I have heard it, seen it; I am pressing it to my heart now."

"You are cheating yourself out of further surprise and joy."

"Then tell me."

"I can't, without more breathing space. Thanks, that's easier. Well, dear, when I deserted you and Dymock's I felt like a rudderless speck on a mighty ocean. But one day I saw a tempting advertisement. I applied and got this situation. I have been here all this time, knowing nothing, suspecting nothing, till yesterday, when I had a visit from Aunt Hester and—guess who!

—your father. It turns out that they are old friends. Your father called one night seeking me, and he found Aunt Hester. What took place after that I don't know, but I can guess from the facts that they were quietly married yesterday and have gone off on a long Continental wedding-trip. It was your father who arranged the advertisement which brought me here. It was simply a provision for my welfare, but both aunt and your father decided to put you on probation to see if your love for me would stand the strain. They instructed me to inform you that you have passed the test with distinction. As a reward, your father is going to make you his copartner."

Raymond shook his head ungratefully.

"My dear Ethel, that is nothing, until you tell me what reward you are going to give me. Will you also make me your copartner?"

She twined her arms around his neck and laid her soft, crimson-tinted cheek against his own.

It was her deed of copartnership. —London Tit-Bits.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON,

APRIL 9.

Lesson II.—Elisha's Heavenly Defenders, 2 Kings 6. 8-23. Golden

Text Psa. 91. 11.

Verse 8. The king of Syria was warring against Israel—The reign of Jehoram was continually interrupted by the marauding expeditions of the warlike king of Damascus, Ben-hadad. Often these campaigns were nothing more than forays, such as the one in which the little maiden who later served in the household of Naaman was captured. Then there would be short periods of peace.

9. Beware that thou pass not such a place—How Elisha knew of the movements of the Syrians we are not told. It is enough that he was a man of God. More than once (10) he was able to put the king of Israel on his guard, and thus foil the plottings of Ben-hadad, who doubtless purposed to seize this royal person while he was hunting or on some other chance journey.

11. Which of us is for the king of Israel?—He suspected that his plans went amiss because of treason in the camp.

12. Elisha . . . telleth the king of Israel—Apparently it was common report among the attendants of the king. The prophet's fame must have spread greatly with the notable cure of Naaman, and it would not be difficult or unnatural for the captain's friends to think of Elisha as reporting the most secret counsels of their king.

13. Go and see where he is—It was a forlorn policy to think he could surprise a man who divined his most carefully guarded secrets. The place where he happened to be living, Dothan, was so near the capital (less than a dozen miles in the same plain, through which ran the great caravan route from Egypt to Damascus), that it shows how thoroughly at the mercy of the Syrian power the Israelites were that they permitted the enemy to approach so close with the expectation of getting away unmolested.

15. The servant—Some other, of course, than Gehazi, who, it will be remembered, brought about his own undoing through covetousness.

Alas! . . . how shall we do!—This is ever the question of desperation upon the lips of the world in perplexing straits. There is little help for those who cannot see beyond their own shadow.

16. They that are with us—To the man who walks not by sight but by faith there is a world of ever-real and omnipotent defense. We are not dependent alone upon psalmist and prophet for this assurance. The church of God has never been without evidence of it, and any man may test for himself the reality of unseen divine protection.

17. The mountain—Dothan commanded a pass which crossed the ridge of Mount Carmel. It was all ablaze with the spiritual forces with which God surrounded his servant Elisha. In like manner he shelters every believing soul. This may not mean a guarantee of freedom from the various ills of this world ("In

The Home

Notes of Particular Interest to Women Folks

SEASONABLE DISHES.

Cheese au Gratin.—Take one quart of coarsely ground bread crumbs and mix with them one-half pound grated cheese, one teaspoon of salt, and a dash of cayenne pepper. Mix allthoroughly. Make a cream sauce of one tablespoon of flour and one tablespoon of butter, mash with spoon thin, continue working with spoon until it becomes of a creamy consistency. Cook with one pint of cream or milk until thick and pour over bread crumbs, and bake thirty minutes in a slow oven. Will serve six people and is delicious with soup or meat.

Veal Recipe.—For four persons take two and one-half pounds of leg of veal, set in frying pan, with a tablespoonful of butter, and brown on all sides; season with salt, pepper, and paprika. Then set in stewpan in two cupfuls of water and the butter in which it was browned. Slice over it one tomato, one onion, one carrot, and throw in part of a bay leaf. Cover, let simmer, and brown for three hours, fire very low. Now take a small package of wide noodles (any grocery), boil in salted water until tender, strain and fry in butter. Get ready three cornered pieces of buttered toast, set your veal in the middle of a large chop platter, set the toast around it, and put little heaps of the fried noodles on the toast. Make a thick gravy of the remainder of the substances in the stewpan by adding a little water and thickening. Serve plain boiled potatoes with this, and cover with gravy.

Carrot Jam.—To each pint of pulp allow one pound of sugar. The grated rind of one lemon, the strained juice of two, eight chopped bitter almonds, two tablespoonfuls of brandy; select young carrots, wash and scrape them, put them in a saucepan with enough water to cover, and simmer until soft, then press through a sieve; weigh the pulp and to every pound allow the above ingredients; put pulp in a preserving pan with the sugar and boil slowly for ten minutes, skimming all the time; when cold add the lemon rind, juice, almonds, and brandy; put into jars, seal, and keep in a dry place. The brandy may be omitted, but the preserve will not keep. With the brandy it will keep for months.

MISCELLANEOUS RECIPES.

Scrappe.—One and one-half pounds of beef and one-half pound of pork; boil them together and season with salt, pepper, and sage; drain and chop fine. Then add to the liquor corn meal, as you would for mush; add seasoned meat, mold, slice and fry.

Round Steak.—Round steak is very much improved by rolling in flour after thoroughly pounding on both sides. Rub butter in hot frying pan just before putting in steak; season while cooking.

remove the smell before it is washed.

7.—If a pan is burned or blackened rub the inside of it with a hard crust of bread dipped in salt and afterward wash it with hot soda and water.

8.—Be very careful to keep the lids of saucepans clean, for the flavor of one dish may cling to a lid which has not been washed and spoil a second dish which is prepared in the same dish.

9.—After washing up, wipe out the dishtub and allow it to stand by the fire till it is dry. The dishtub should be scrubbed with boiling water and soap at least once a week.

USEFUL HINTS.

When making panned oysters it is essential to have the pan piping hot before putting anything into it.

Tan boots will not easily stain if they are well polished several times before being worn for the first time.

Celery can be much improved by soaking it for an hour in ice-cold water in which a lemon has been squeezed.

To clean a copper kettle rub it with powdered bath brick and paraffin and polish with dry brick-dust or whiting.

Sunlight and air are the finest dispellers of disease. They should, therefore, be freely admitted to every house.

A pinch of salt and soda added to water in which tough meat or vegetables are boiled will make them fore tender.

If hot fat be spilled on the floor, pour on to it cold water at once. This will cause it to set, and prevent its soaking into the boards or tiles. When set it can be easily removed with a knife.

Stained boards are apt to become lighter after a little wear, but if rubbed with paraffin oil they will again become darker. When rubbed with beeswax and turpentine after they will look as well as ever.

When finely chopped nuts are needed for cake, salad or sandwiches, the nuts should be run through the mincing machine.

For squeaking boots, prick the soles of the boots so as to let out the air from between the soles. This is the cause of the trouble.

Carrots should be scrubbed and scraped, not peeled, for the nourishment lies in the red pulp. This part is not at all indigestible.

To clarify fat, after frying, throw into the fat a few slices of raw potato and cook to a golden color. This will purify the fat wonderfully.

Before frying bacon soak it in water for three or four minutes. This will prevent the fat from running, and will make the bacon go further.

When beating white of egg, be sure that the plate is perfectly dry. If the process is carried out in the

Young Folks

THEIR FATHER.

Bess closed the encyclopedia with a bang.

"Bother!" she said, in such a loud whisper that Barton looked up from his algebra, and mother, who was sewing at the window, laid down her work.

"What is it, Bess?"

"It's this dreadful lesson. mo-

"Mother," she said, in such a loud whisper that Barton looked up from his algebra, and mother, who was sewing at the window, laid down her work.

"What is it, Bess?"
"It's this dreadful lesson, mother! I've got to write something interesting about a man—and there's nothing interesting about him!"

"What man?" demanded Barton.

"Sydney Smith."

"The encyclopedia must tell something about him," Barton persisted.

"That he was born in 1771 and died in 1845," pouted Bess. "He was an English clergyman and humorist—that means, of course, that he was funny, but how am I to know? That thing doesn't tell a single thing he ever said."

"He was something better than funny," said mother. "He was such a dear, delightful father that his children, Saba and Douglas, adored him, as their mother did, too. I know a little story about him that shows how well his children loved him and why."

"Truly?" questioned Bess.

"Truly!" said mother, smiling.

"Once when he was away from home poor little Douglas was lying on the dining-room sofa, very ill, while Saba and their mother were at table. Mrs. Smith could not eat, and pretty soon she said:

"Well, dear little Chuffy,—that was his father's name for Douglas.—I don't see what is the matter with us both, but we seem very good for nothing."

"Why, mama," said Saba, "I'll tell you what the matter is. You and Chuffy are sick and dull and unhappy because father is away: he is so merry that he makes us all gay. Our family doesn't prosper, you see, without a father."

"Good stuff!" said Barton, going back to his algebra.

"That's lovely! You've made that great man seem just like anybody's father. I wish mothers wrote encyclopedias," said Bess, fondly.—Youth's Companion.

GIBRALTAR'S CAVERNS.

Wonderful Stalactite Cave Over 200 Feet Long.

Gibraltar is the only place in Europe where monkeys live wild. But apart from the monkeys, Gibraltar has wonderful attractions, as in her fossils and her great stalactite caverns, opening into recesses of the rocks a thousand feet above the sea. One of these caverns is over 200 feet long and 70 feet high, and, as the stalactite pillars extend from floor to ceiling, the effect resembles the interior of a cathedral. The name of the rock has undergone a change since that distant day in 711 when Tarik the Moor first built his castle on it in order to begin the conquest of Spain. It was then Gebel el Tarik (the rock of Tarika). But the change to "Gibraltar" is not serious if one pronounces the Moorish name quickly.

Visitor—"Well, son, what will you be when you grow up?" Tommy (aged nine)—"A soldier." Visitor—"But you will be in danger of getting killed." Tommy—"Who'll kill me?" Visitor—"Why, the enemy." Tommy—"Then I'll be the enemy."

ablaze with the spiritual forces with which God surrounded his servant Elisha. In like manner he shelters every believing soul. This may not mean a guarantee of freedom from the various ills of this world ("In the world ye have tribulation"), but it does mean spiritual security in the performance of God-given tasks. The outward man may perish, but the man himself, his soul, his inviolable.

18. Smite this people with blindness—The word for "blindness" is very unusual, being found only here and in Gen. 19. 11. The context seems to show that the Syrians were visited with a kind of illusion, so that it was easy for Elisha to deceive them as to their whereabouts, and to hold them under the spell of this delusion until he had guided them into the very stronghold of their enemies.

21. My father—A term of intimacy and affection. It does not, however, fully describe the relations between Jehoram and the prophet. Elisha was unlike his great predecessor in the close connection which existed between his work and the political and military fortunes of his people. For the most part, this particular king, though greatly indebted to Elisha, was lacking in courtesy to him, and their relations at times were far from cordial. The desire of Jehoram to smite these foes is doubtless a true picture of the man—an ungenerous, temporizing person, who was ready to fawn on anyone who was able to do something to his advantage, but who would turn upon that one the next moment.

22. Wouldest thou smite!—It was probably in accord with the rude ethics of that time to act as the king eagerly suggested. But Elisha was there as the prophet of God, and he showed that there was a better way to treat enemies. Even in those days it was a rule of warfare that captives taken in battle should not be unmercifully smitten down. A sense of justice, therefore, would suggest the sparing of these men taken by deception. Elisha's command to set bread and water before them is in the spirit of Him who centuries later said, "Love your enemies."

23. The bands of Syria came no more.—Such merciful treatment made a profound impression upon Ben-hadad, who temporarily (compare next verse) abandoned his campaigns of plunder and rapine.

WITH ONIONS.

Syrup for Coughs.—Cut onions in slices and put in a stew pan with a quart of water; add 5 cents' worth of rock candy and boil down to one pint; give in teaspoonful doses whenever the children cough. It is good.

Onions for Colds.—Mash onions and make a poultice as hot as can be borne; rub well with turpentine and lard; apply to chest and to the soles of the feet if a child and draw the stockings on; leave on for two or three days and the cold will be gone. I saved my little girl's life with this simple remedy and perhaps it will help some other mother.—Mrs. D.

And it's what a man has been that makes him what he is.

Father (meditating on Time's changes)—"Ah, yes, the fashion of this world passeth away." Daughter—"Indeed it does, papa! I shall want a new hat next week!"

Round Steak.—Round steak is very much improved by rolling in flour after thoroughly pounding on both sides. Rub butter in hot frying pan just before putting in steak; season while cooking.

Doughnuts.—Two cups mashed potatoes; add butter size walnut, three eggs, one cup sweet milk, one cup sugar, mix quite stiff; three teaspoons baking powder, a dash of salt, half a nutmeg. This makes four dozen doughnuts.

Date Pudding.—Four eggs, well beaten; two cups sugar; four tablespoons milk; three tablespoons baking powder; two cups English walnut meats; two cups dates; three tablespoons water, mixed with dates and cooked till smooth. Bake in greased pan forty minutes, then set in pan of boiling water and bake ten minutes more, and serve with whipped cream and candied cherries.

Lentils and Rice.—Soak over night one-half pound of imported lentils. Cook till tender, about fifteen minutes. Cook one-half cup of rice in rapidly boiling water twenty minutes and add to the cooked lentils. Thinly slice an onion and cook soft in two tablespoonfuls of butter. Stir the onion into the above mixture and serve. This dish has meat value, and is splendid for the main dish in a vegetarian dinner.

Turkish Pilaf.—Three-fourths cupful of rice, one tomato, one green pepper, one tablespoonful of butter, salt, and cayenne pepper to taste. Boil rice till tender. Chop the green pepper fine and cut up the tomato. Mix all well, add seasoning and butter, and bake one-half hour. The addition of a chopped onion is an improvement to the dish, when the onion flavor is liked.

POST IN THE KITCHEN.

Here are a few rules that would be well to cut out and paste up in your kitchen:

1.—Wash a saucepan in plenty of hot water, but never wash cake tins or frying-pans. Wipe them well with a piece of paper, which is afterward burned, and polish them with a dry cloth.

2.—Stand saucepans, fish kettles, etc., in front of the fire for a few minutes after washing them, so that they may be thoroughly dried inside. This makes them last longer and helps to keep them in good condition.

3.—Pudding cloths, jelly bags and so on should be well washed, scalded and hung up to dry. It is not necessary to iron them, but they should be smoothed and folded before they are replaced in the drawer.

4.—Add a little soda to the water in which you wash plates and dishes. The soda loosens the grease on them and gives the china a good, shiny surface.

5.—Never add soda to the water in which you wash silver. Use a wooden tub, with plenty of hot water and soap, and dry the articles with a soft cloth. If silver is carefully washed and dried, once a week will be found often enough to clean it with powder and a leather. Silver should be kept in a baize-lined drawer or basket, for if it is laid on hard wood it is apt to be scratched.

6.—Never put the handles of knives into hot water, or they will split. If a knife has been used for cutting onions or any other strong-scented vegetable, dig the blade of it once or twice into garden mold to

water for three or four minutes. This will prevent the fat from running, and will make the bacon go further.

When beating white of egg, be sure that the plate is perfectly dry. If the process is carried out in the open air it will be very quickly accomplished.

An undefinable smell of cooking can generally be traced to a dirty oven. Wash the oven thoroughly with soda and hot water and the smell will vanish.

When giving sticky medicines to children heat the spoon by dipping it for a moment in hot water, then pour in the medicine, and it will slip quite easily from the spoon.

This is the proper way to treat a glove. When you spy a tiny hole mend it without delay, that it may not increase in size. Mend it on the inside of the glove with fine cotton of the same color as the kid. Do not use silk, for it soon wears out.

To color kitchen walls, dissolve some permanganate of potash in water, and add sufficient of this solution to the whitewash to make it the color you require.

It may not be generally known that if a tablespoonful of pearl barley be added to the oatmeal it gives it a fine nutritious flavor, and is strengthening and good.

Pans greased with butter will make the bottom crust of pies soft and flaky and prevent them from being soggy.

To cleanse a frying pan, in which fish or onions have been cooked, fill it with water, and bring it to the boil, then drop in a red-hot cinder. Afterwards rinse in the usual way.

New walking shoes are sometimes inclined to "slip" at the heels, and a nasty blister is the result. A simple preventive is to rub the inside of the shoes with a little soap at the heel before putting them on.

Cayenne pepper is excellent as a means of ridding a cupboard of mice. The floor should be gone over carefully, and each hole stoppered up with a piece of rag dipped in water, and then in cayenne pepper.

To mend an umbrella take a small piece of black sticking-plaster and soak it in water until quite soft. Place this carefully under the hole inside and let dry. This will be found to be better than darning, as it closes the hole neatly without stitches.

To keep a poultice hot place it in a double boiler, keep water at boiling point. This will be found useful where a poultice is needed frequently. Keep boiling over an oil stove in place of the coal stove if you do not happen to have gas.

The following is a good hint for ironing sheets. Instead of spreading out the sheet to iron, fold it in half, then quarter, and lay it on the ironing board as though to iron. Now iron the rest of the clothes on top of the sheet, turn it occasionally so as to reach every part, then fold it and begin on another sheet. In this way the sheets are ironed with very little trouble.

To renovate black chip hat, brush it well to remove all dust. Pour some olive oil into a saucer and well brush hat all over. Place in front of fire to thoroughly dry in the oil. This is all that would be done if sent to a cleaner's. Should the brim be somewhat out of shape, wring a cotton cloth out of warm water, lay on, and press with a hot iron before applying oil.

For tea you can't beat LIPTON'S TEA

OVER 2 MILLION PACKAGES SOLD WEEKLY

LOSS OF \$100,000 AT KELSO

Explosion of Lamp in Miller's Hotel Started a Costly Blaze

A despatch from North Bay says: Fire which broke out at Kelso at 2 o'clock on Thursday morning assumed large proportions. The Miller Hotel, of three storeys with 200 rooms, was destroyed, as were also: The Prospect House, Bank of Ottawa's office, Davis and Dunn's general store, and several other stores. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

The fire started in the Miller Hotel, from a lamp explosion, the flames spreading very rapidly. Efforts to save goods and effects from flames resulted in many narrow escapes from death. Several minor accidents occurred, but nothing serious.

Northerly winds saved the property of the T. and N. O. Railway. Lack of water prevented the fire being combated, but a railway engine was rushed from Iroquois Falls, and moved the freight cars, loaded with goods for Porcupine camp, out of the danger zone.

LARGEST CUSTOMS REVENUE

A Gain of Twelve and a Quarter Million Dollars for the Year.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Customs revenue of the Dominion for the fiscal year, closed on Friday, shows the unprecedented gain of \$12,280,930 over the fiscal year ending March 31, 1910. For the twelve months ending March 31, 1911, the total revenue was \$72,343,866.07, as compared with \$60,061,926.56, the year just ending being the biggest in the history of the country.

The month of March, just closed, shows the largest revenue of any one month also in the lifetime of the Dominion, being over a million dollars greater than the previous largest month, which was August, 1910.

The figures for March, 1911, are \$7,445,474.52, as compared with \$5,980,989.02 for March, 1910, an increase of \$1,464,485.20.

FARMERS MUST BE CAREFUL.

Government Says Mangel Seed Must be Carefully Watched.

A despatch from Ottawa says: George H. Clarke, seed commissioner for Canada, has issued a proclamation to farmers generally throughout the Dominion advising the greatest diligence generally with respect to the mangel and beet seeds which they this year propose to sow. In the European countries, from which mangel and beet seeds are usually obtained, the climatic conditions in 1909 and 1910 were most unfavorable, and it is feared that the percentage of vitality will be very low. The department of agriculture advises farmers to sow from at least one-half more mangel seed than the amount originally in-

crease in the emigration to the United States.

MR. J. H. GRIDDALE.

The New Director of Experimental Farms.

A despatch from Ottawa says: An order in Council was passed on Saturday appointing Mr. J. H. Grisdale, formerly Dominion Agriculturist, as director of Experimental Farms, to succeed Dr. William Saunders, who recently retired. The new appointment takes effect at once. Mr. Grisdale, who is 40 years old, is a thoroughly trained scientific agriculturist. A farmer's son, he taught school for a few years to earn the money necessary for this course of instruction. He

PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese
and Other Produce at Home
and Abroad.

BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, April 4.—Flour—Winter wheat 90 per cent. patents, \$3.25 at seaboard. Manitoba flours — First patents, \$5.40; second patents \$4.90, and strong bakers', \$4.70, on track, Toronto.

Manitoba Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 95½c, Bay ports; No. 2 Northern, 93c, Bay ports, and No. 3 at 91c, Bay ports.

Ontario Wheat—No. 2 red and white, 80 to 81c, outside.

Barley—Malting qualities, 64 to 67c outside, according to quality, and feed, 52 to 56c outside.

Oats—No. 2 white, 34 to 34½c, on track, Toronto, and 32 to 32½c outside. No. 2 W.C. oats, 36½c, Bay ports, and No. 3 at 35½c, Bay ports.

Corn—No. 3 American, 51½ to 52c, Toronto freight.

Peas—No. 2 around 80c outside.

Rye—66 to 68c outside.

Buckwheat—No. 1 at 48½ to 49c outside.

Bran—Manitobas, \$23, in bags, Toronto, and shorts, \$24.50, in bags, Toronto; Ontario shorts, \$24.50 to \$25.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—Spys, \$5 to \$6; Baldwins, \$4 to \$4.50; Greenings, \$4 to \$4.50; No. 2 assorted, \$3.50 to \$4.50 per barrel.

Beans—Car lots, \$1.75 to \$1.80, and small lots, \$1.90 to \$2.

Honey—Extracted, in tins, 10 to 11c per lb.; No. 1 comb, wholesale, \$2 to \$2.50 per dozen; No. 2 comb, wholesale, \$1.75 to \$2 per dozen.

Baled Hay—No. 1 at \$11.50 to \$13 on track, and No. 2 at \$9 to \$10.50.

Baled Straw—\$6.50 to \$7 on track, Toronto.

Potatoes—Car lots, 80 to 85c per bag, and New Brunswick, 90 to 95c.

Poultry—Wholesale prices of dressed poultry:—Chickens, 15 to 16c per lb.; fowl, 11 to 13c per lb.; turkeys, 19 to 21c per lb. Live, 1 to 2c less.

THE DAIRY MARKETS.

Butter—Dairy prints, 18 to 20c; inferior, 16 to 17c. Creamery, 27 to 28c per lb. for rolls, 24 to 24½c for solids, and 22 to 23c for separator prints.

Eggs—Case lots, 18c per dozen.

Cheese—Large, 14c, and twins 14½c.

HOG PRODUCTS.

Bacon—Long clear, 12½c per lb. in case lots; mess pork, \$20 to \$21; do., short cut, \$24 to \$24.50; pickled rolls, \$20 to \$21.

Hams—Light to medium, 15c; do., heavy, 12 to 13c; rolls, 12½c; breakfast bacon, 16½ to 17c; backs, 18 to 18½c.

Lard—Tierces, 12c; tubs, 12½c; pails, 12½c.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, April 4.—According to

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favorite of all
lovers of good tea.
Sealed lead packages only.

THE NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH

HAPPENINGS FROM ALL OVER THE GLOBE IN A NUTSHELL.

Canada, the Empire and the World in General Before Your Eyes.

CANADA.

Lieut.-Col. the Hon. David Tisdals died at Simcoe on Friday.

The Provincial Treasurer has received \$50,000 from the estate of the late Goldwin Smith.

The Arnprior Council has decided to prosecute Chief Mattson, the defaulting tax-collector.

The Hydro-electric Power Commission has made arrangements to extend the system to Windsor.

The health authorities will stop the pollution of waters by summer resorts.

Ten thousand coal miners in Alberta and British Columbia are out on strike.

Mr. A. Dion reports that his valise containing papers valued at \$10,000 was stolen from a Montreal street car.

The Trust & Loan Company has offered to give the Corporation of Montreal land worth half a million dollars for a park.

Eight foreigners were arrested at Windsor for smuggling themselves into Canada. It is said a favorite route is through the Michigan Central tunnel.

UNITED STATES.

A meeting to promote international arbitration was held in New York on Friday.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Many peace meetings were held throughout Britain on Sunday.

The suffrage demonstration in London against the census was not a success.

The British revenue for the past year was the biggest on record.

Rembrandt's picture, "The Mill," will be sent to the United States.

Premier Asquith and Ambassador Reid spoke at the Bible centenary celebration.

The British Government have under consideration a proposal to readjust the calendar.

GENERAL.

President Diaz of Mexico will introduce many reforms.

The Albanians have revolted against Turkish rule.

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SPEECH OF FUTURE KING.

Prince of Wales Performs His First Public Act.

A despatch from London says: The British Prince of Wales performed his first public act and made his maiden speech on Wednesday at Dartmouth. The occasion was the observing of the ancient custom of presenting to the Town of Dartmouth a silver oar symbolizing its traditional guardianship of that harbor. The chief impression left upon his huge crowd of future subjects by the Prince was the youngster's modesty, but notwithstanding his nervousness, which he showed by blushes, by biting his lip frequently and casting frequent supplicating glances at his tutor, the Prince came through with flying colors and the women were unanimous in pronouncing him "a dear." His younger brother, Albert, who accompanied the Prince, evidently enjoyed his own lack of responsibility and laughed happily at the crowds.

TRAFFIC DIVERTED.

Leading Line Has Placed Two Extra Vessels on Canadian Route.

A despatch from Antwerp, Belgium, says: The diversion of European emigration from the United States to Canada is said to be seriously affecting the Atlantic steamship lines. The Red Star on Wednesday gives up to the American-Canadian line two of the best special emigrant steamers afloat, the Gothland and the Sanland. These vessels heretofore in the Antwerp-New York service are now to be operated from Rotterdam to Canadian ports. There are now 1,500 emigrants bound for Canada held up here by a lack of transportation facilities. There is a proportional

increase in 1909 and 1910. Mr. Grisdale, who is 40 years old, is a thoroughly trained scientific agriculturist. A farmer's son, he taught school for a few years to earn the money necessary for this course of instruction. He was gold medalist at the Ontario Agricultural College, and took first class honors at Ames, which ranks as probably the foremost agricultural school in the United States.

INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION.

Returns For Eleven Months of Current Fiscal Year.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Mr. Scott, Superintendent of Immigration, issued the following statement on Wednesday: "For the eleven months, April to February, of the current year, the number of immigrants who arrived in Canada was 271,392, as compared with 175,729 during the corresponding months of the last fiscal year. The gain therefore is fifty-four per cent. The number who arrived via ocean ports for the same period was 131,456, as against 89,241 for a like period of the last financial year, an increase of eighty-four per cent. From the United States for the same eleven months, there were 106,906 immigrant arrivals. During the corresponding eleven months of the last fiscal year there were 86,488, the gain from this source being twenty-four per cent."

TWO MILLIONS INCREASE.

Customs Collections at Montreal Reached \$18,329,199.

A despatch from Montreal says: Mr. R. S. White, collector of Customs, on Saturday announced that the Customs collections at the port of Montreal for the year ended March 31 totalled \$18,329,199, an increase just over two millions over last year.

GOT \$40,000 LOOT.

Train Robbers in Russia Hold Up Train With Pay Chest.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says: Robbers held up a train at Wladow on Wednesday night, and secured \$40,000, intended for the payment of railroad employees. Two passengers were wounded.

FALL WHEAT WINTERS WELL

Large Increase in Average Under Grain--Snow Helped It Along.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: Careful investigation by local grain exchange members, by mill men, and reports from Minneapolis, and Chicago show most satisfactory agricultural conditions in the Canadian West to-day. Fall wheat is reported in excellent shape in both Northern and Southern Alberta, having come through the winter well. There is a considerable increase in acreage. Experiments with fall wheat in some parts of Manitoba are also promising.

The open character of last fall resulted in a big amount of fall

plowing, though this would have been still further increased had it not been for continued drought. But heavy and frequent snowfalls, which have had a chance to soak well in, have removed this danger.

It is difficult to estimate how much new land was broken last year ready for seeding this spring, but the area must have been very considerable, especially in Saskatchewan, where entirely new districts have been brought under the plow. Estimates of increased acreage to be seeded to spring wheat are from 10 to 50 per cent.

18½c; Lard—Tierces, 12c; tubs, 12½c; pails, 12½c.

BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Montreal, April 4.—According to cable advices, the foreign wheat situation is very weak. Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 38½c, car lots ex store; extra No. 1 feed, 38c; No. 3 C. W., 37½c; No. 2 local white, 36½c; No. 3 local white, 35½c; No. 4 local white, 34½c. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.60; do., seconds, \$5.10; Winter wheat patents, \$4.50; strong bakers', \$4.90; straight rollers, \$4 to \$4.25; do., in bags, \$1.75 to \$1.85. Rolled oats—Per barrel, \$3.90; bag of 90 lbs., \$1.95. Barley—Feed, car lots ex store, 49 to 50c. Corn—American No. 3 yellow, 56 to 56½c. Millfeed—Bran, Ontario, \$22 to \$23; Manitoba, \$21 to \$23; middlings, Ontario, \$24 to \$25; shorts, Manitoba, \$23 to \$25; mouillie, \$25 to \$30. Eggs—Fresh, 20 to 23c. Cheese—Westerns, 12½ to 12½c; easterns, 11½ to 12c. Butter—Choicest, 26 to 27c; seconds, 24½ to 25½c.

UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Minneapolis, April 4.—Wheat—May 92-1-8 to 92½c; July, 93½ to 93½-8c; cash, No. 1 hard, 94-1-8c; No. 1 Northern, 92½-8 to 93½-8c; No. 2 Northern, 90-1-8 to 91½-8c; No. 3 Northern, 88-1-8 to 90½-8c. Bran—\$21.50 to \$22. Flour—First patents, \$4.35 to \$4.65; second patents, \$4.25 to \$4.55; first clears, \$2.85 to \$3.30; second clears, \$1.85 to \$2.50.

Buffalo, April 4.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern carloads, store, \$1.00-5-8; Winter, No. 2 red 92c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 39c; No. 4 yellow, 47½c, all on track, through billed. Oats—No. 2 white 34c; No. 3 white, 33½c; No. 4 white, 32½c. Barley—Malting, \$1.10 to \$1.14.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Montreal, April 4.—Steers sold at from 5½ to 6½c, cows at from 3½ to 5½c, and bulls at from 4 to 5c per lb.; Sheep sold at 4½ to 5c per lb., and lambs at from \$5 to \$7 each. Calves—\$2 to \$8 each, as to size and quality. Hogs—\$7.50 per cwt., weighed off cars.

Toronto, April 4.—The bulk of the trading in butcher cattle was below \$5.65. Sheep were firmer and 25c higher, ewes selling up to \$5.25. Hogs were weak, but unchanged. Spring lambs were present on the market in small numbers.

VICEREGAL VISIT TO WEST.

Earl Grey and Party Will Spend Two Weeks in Winnipeg.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: Earl Grey, accompanied by the Countess and family and the viceregal suite, will spend two weeks on an official visit to this city this month. They will reside at Government House. The primary object of the visit is to attend the annual competition for the Earl Grey musical and dramatic trophies, which take place here during the week of April 24. The visit may also include the Musical Festival of Empire, in which the Sheffield Choir will take part.

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GENERAL.

President Diaz of Mexico will introduce many reforms.

The Albanians have revolted against Turkish rule.

There are rumors of fighting in the Amur province.

Four separate expeditions are racing for the South Pole.

HEAVY PEACH LOSSES.

\$8,000,000 Lost Through Ravages of Plant Diseases.

A despatch from Washington says: Approximately the loss sustained by the peach-growing industry in the United States east of the Rocky Mountains last season from brown rot, scab and curculio, a small beetle, is \$8,000,000, according to a Department of Agriculture bulletin on Wednesday. The heavy annual loss, almost half the value of the crop, has been investigated for four years by the bureau of entomology and plant industry with a view to minimizing the ravages on a fruit that in commercial importance ranks second only to apples. It is estimated that with 113,750,000 bearing trees last season's crop aggregated from \$12,000,000 to \$16,000,000. The bulletin allots to brown rot upwards of \$3,000,000 damage yearly, peach scab \$1,000,000 and plum curculio \$3,750,000.

SAVED HIS FAMILY.

But Man Residing Near Haileybury Was Severely Burned.

A despatch from Cobalt says: A woman and five children had a narrow escape from being burned to death in a house near Haileybury on Tuesday night. A lamp fell over and exploded at the foot of the stairs in the house of Joseph Ross, thus cutting off all escape. The father jumped from the upper window and got the children by means of a ladder, but not before they had been severely burned. There then remained a month-old baby in the house, and Ross went through the flames for it and brought it to safety, wrapped in blankets, but his face was a mass of blisters, and flesh was hanging from his hands. Mrs. Ross broke a rib in jumping from the bedroom window.

HEAVY ICE AT KINGSTON.

Opening of Navigation Will be Latest in Many Years.

A despatch from Kingston says: The ice in the harbor is over two feet thick and the opening of navigation will be the latest in years. The only thing that will cause a breakup in the next ten days is heavy rain and a strong south wind. It is doubtful if boats at Bay of Quinte ports will be able to get down this way for over two weeks at least.

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CRIME AT MONTREAL.

Men Sentenced for Manslaughter, Stabbing and Wounding.

A despatch from Montreal says: Thursday was sentence day in the Court of King's Bench. Judge Lavergne sentenced Pasquali Bisno to twelve years in the penitentiary for slashing a compatriot with a razor. He cut a gash five inches long in the cheek of his fellow-countryman. Rosario Cazavant, found guilty of manslaughter by causing the death of Ernest Bigras in striking him a blow on the head, was sentenced to six years in the penitentiary. Sebastius Coristi, guilty of wounding a fellow-countryman by cutting him on the chest with a sharp instrument, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. Louis Goguet, guilty of obtaining money under false pretences, was sentenced to eighteen months in jail.

DISEASE AT NORTH BAY.

Greek Found Suffering From Cerebro-spinal Fever.

A despatch from North Bay says: A few days ago a young Greek was taken from a passenger train at North Bay very ill. The doctor who attended him was surprised to find that the symptoms suggested cerebro-spinal fever, a disease which caused two ocean steamships to be tied up in New York harbor under rigid quarantine, and which is dreaded because of its malignant qualities and contagiousness. A test was made from the patient and a report submitted to the Toronto laboratory, where a specialist confirmed the case as cerebro-spinal fever. The Greek died after an illness of a few days, and was buried in the local cemetery, unnamed and unknown. During his treatment in North Bay the Greek was rigidly quarantined and carefully watched.

SUBSTITUTE FOR WOOD-PULP.

Trinidad Planter Claims to Have Discovered New Substance.

A despatch from Washington says: Another substance from which paper may be manufactured has been discovered by a manager of a sugar estate at Trinidad, according to the United States Consul at that place. The new substance is ground sugar cane, to which is added bamboo fibre. The combination of these two, the discoverer believes produces a substance of which the fibre is the right length to make a cheap and excellent paper. He has made paper by this process without the use of chemicals. The quality of the paper, according to the report, can command the market against any wood paper now being manufactured.

POLLUTING THE WATER.

Tannery Firm in Quebec Province Has to Pay a Fine.

A despatch from Montreal says: The Lesage Company, operating a tannery situated at St. Leonard de Port Maurice, was fined \$750 in the Court of King's Bench on Friday morning for contaminating water by products from their mill. Twice before they were summoned and ordered to make improvements to

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CANADA'S VAST PEAT FIELDS.

Government Statistics Show 37,000 Square Miles.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Government statistics on the peat supply say: "The Province of Ontario and Quebec send \$20,000,000 a year to the United States for coal. The development of some of our extensive peat bogs will help to keep some of this money at home and to furnish additional employment to Canadians in Canada. Canada has 37,000 square miles (23,680,000 acres) of known peat bogs, but these form probably but a small fraction of the total, constituting a potential national asset of enormous value. Some idea of the possibilities may be gained from the estimate that 28 acres of peat, 9 feet deep, should yield 50,000 tons; enough to supply 100 families for twenty-five years, allowing twenty tons per annum to each family, or enough to furnish a power plant of 100 horse-power, using steam engines, with fuel for more than 25 years of 300 ten-hour days, allowing 12 pounds of fuel per horse-power hour developed. The fuel, if used in a suitable gas producer, would last the same plant about 100 years."

NEW WELLAND CANAL ROUTE.

Government Engineers to Commence Testing Operations.

A despatch from St. Catharines says: A party of Government engineers arrived in this city on Monday morning to begin testing operations on what is known as the old Grenville route for the proposed new Welland Canal. The investigation of the Jordan route has been completed and it is understood considerable quicksand was encountered on that route. The Grenville route will follow the channel of the old canal from Port Dalhousie to near Lock 3, in this city, and then make an almost direct route to the present new canal at Thorold. Forty-eight 60-foot test holes are to be sunk.

DUBLIN AND THE KING.

Corporation Refuses to Present Addresses During Coming Visit.

A despatch from Dublin says: The corporation of Dublin, by forty-two votes to nine, decided to "proceed with the next business" when a resolution proposing a loyal address on the occasion of King

1,000 KILLED IN BATTLE

Women and Children Among the Slain at San Rafael, Mexico

A despatch from Nogales, Arizona, says: In a battle which has waged since last Monday between San Rafael and Ureca one thousand Federals and rebels are said to have been killed. This report comes from a Federal officer in Nogales, Sonora, who is said to have received despatches from Hermosillo. From the same source it is reported that many women and children

were killed during an engagement fought at San Rafael while the town was being swept by flames, which were started by the dynamiting of a big flour mill.

The rebel forces number in excess of 1,500, and their ranks are being joined by ranchers and miners for many miles around. The original Federal forces under Col. Ojeda and Barran numbered 800, including 200 Yaqui Indians.

On the Farm

SPRING WORK WITH POULTRY

You cannot raise good chickens from poor eggs. If you are satisfied with the mixed breeds, good, bad and indifferent, we can give you very little advice as to their management. If you propose to raise good chickens, fowls that will make a maximum of the greatest number of eggs, or produce the greatest pounds of meat, select your breed and then buy pure bred eggs. You can only get these by buying from breeders whose integrity is unquestioned and who are ready to guarantee that their eggs will produce birds true to type.

Insist upon having eggs from hens and not from young pullets. Eggs from a hen that is fully grown and matured will naturally produce more birds and stronger birds than eggs from pullets who are still in a state of growth.

Sometimes, it is true, that pullet eggs hatch out well, but they do not produce birds with the vigor and stamina that come from mature eggs. And you will find that the chicks from pullet eggs will be more subject to disease and more will die.

If you have a good breed and raise your own eggs, separate the best hens of your flock and select the best eggs from these. Never set an egg from a hen that is puny, or that has had a touch of disease

Plan to raise a fine flock of general purpose standard bred birds this season. They will yield much more satisfaction and profit than a mixed flock.

A writer in an exchange says that all the eggs put into an incubator must be of one color, or "the game is a losing one." Also that "it won't do to put white shelled and dark shelled eggs together." Statements like this make the experienced poultryman smile.

HINTS FOR THE DAIRYMAN.

The best thing for any dairymen locality is the organization of cow test associations.

The animal that pays the best is bound to be in evidence as dairymen become better informed.

It is a mistake to suppose that a good cow of inferior breeding is qualified to drop a good calf.

Never feed hay, or sweep or in any way stir up dust just previous to milking time, for this will contribute to the introduction of bacteria, which contaminates and injures the quality of the milk.

Dirt always contains germs. Therefore wipe all dust from the cow's udder and flanks with a wet cloth before milking begins and see that no dirt has gained entrance to the milking pail.

Separate the cream while the milk is still warm and in cold weather, first run hot water through the separator to warm it. Strain the milk into the separator through a wire gauze.

THE MONARCH LAUNCHED.

Largest Battleship Ever Built by

The Lesage Company, operating a tannery situated at St. Leonard de Port Maurice, was fined \$750 on Friday morning for contaminating water by products from their mill. Twice before they were summoned and ordered to make improvements to stop the nuisance, but this order was repeated on Friday morning.

UNPRECEDENTED REVENUE.

Britain's Gross Income for the Year Was £203,850,588.

A despatch from London says: John Bull is able to boast of a record income for the financial year which ended on Friday. The gross revenue for the year reached the unprecedented sum of 203,850,588 pounds sterling. Nevertheless the net result is somewhat disappointing, the surplus being only £5,606,766. The explanation of this is that £31,500,000 sterling are arrears of 1909-10, the collection of which was delayed by the Lords' rejection of the Lhrad rdlr hrdlaaldrhaa hadr than £26,000,000 of the total was earmarked to meet the deficit of 1909-10.

ALL ARE SKILLED FARMERS

The Vanguard of U. S. Settlers Has Reached Winnipeg.

A despatch from Winnipeg says: The vanguard of the 1911 army of United States settlers reached Winnipeg at 1.30 o'clock on Wednesday morning. There was a solid trainload of effects, comprising forty-one carloads, and two colonist sleepers attached to the train, which contained the members of 25 families. Every man in the party is a skilled farmer. They are equipped with everything that experience has shown is necessary to make a start on virgin prairie. In addition to machinery and household effects there were a large number of horses and cattle. Some of the farmers also brought along gas tractors, which will be put to work on ground-breaking. The actual worth of these farmers is estimated at \$100,000.

UNION JACK SHALL FLY.

Flag to be Displayed on Public Buildings Every Week Day.

A despatch from Ottawa says: The Minister of Public Works has issued an order, in accordance with the decision of the Cabinet Council, directing that the Union Jack shall fly over every public building in Canada on every day except Sunday during the year. At present the flag is flown only over public buildings in seaports or ports of entry along the international boundary.

AN ERA OF PROSPERITY.

Prediction of Newfoundland's Governor to Legislature.

A despatch from St. John's, Nfld., says: After a session lasting but seven weeks, the shortest regular session on record, the Newfoundland Legislature was prorogued on Wednesday. In his closing speech the Governor, Sir Ralph E. Williams, expressed his belief that the colony is entering upon an unprecedented era of prosperity.

Corporation Refuses to Present Addresses During Coming Visit.

A despatch from Dublin says: The corporation of Dublin, by forty-two votes to nine, decided to "proceed with the next business" when a resolution proposing a loyal address on the occasion of King George's approaching visit was introduced at a meeting on Monday. The corporation also adopted a resolution to send the Lord Mayor and a deputation to present a petition at the bar of the House of Commons in favor of a woman suffrage bill.

EARTHQUAKE IN SPAIN.

Houses Shattered and a Panic Created, but no Lives Lost.

A despatch from Murcia, Spain, says: A severe earthquake shock of long duration shattered many houses here on Monday and created a panic among the inhabitants, but so far as known no one was killed or badly hurt.

YOUTHFUL INCENDIARY.

Montreal Boy Admits Causing Three Fires in North-end.

A despatch from Montreal says: Fifteen-year-old Hector Lefebvre on Wednesday pleaded guilty to the charge of being a firebug. He admitted that he had been the direct cause of three outbreaks in the north end of the city, in one of which four horses were destroyed.

DRAWN INTO ROLLERS.

Employee of Ottawa Mill Meets a Terrible Death.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Edward Miner, an employee at Booth's cardboard mill, was drawn into the rollers of the mill on Saturday and crushed to death in the calendaring machine. All but his head was taken in before the power could be cut off.

Eleven Ottawa citizens subscribed five hundred dollars each towards a convalescent home for typhoid fever patients.

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POULTRY NOTES.

A good remedy for feather pulling hens is said to be a piece of tough meat or bone with lean meat clinging to it. They will pick at the meat instead of pulling feathers.

In setting hens, or in incubating artificially, the Minnesota experiment station has found best results by selecting eggs of a uniform size, with smooth shell and as perfectly formed as possible.

Keep the brooder perfectly clean, and always feed the chicks in a clean place if you want them to live and thrive.

When the chicks can get away from it at will, plenty of heat under the hover is a good thing.

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THE MONARCH LAUNCHED.

Largest Battleship Ever Built by Vickers, Sons and Maxim.

A despatch from London says: The super-Dreadnought Monarch, the largest battleship ever built by Vickers, Sons and Maxim, was launched at Elswick on Thursday. Mrs. William Harcourt, wife of the Colonial Secretary, christened the big fighting ship.

TO SUCCEED DR. SAUNDERS.

Prof. Robertson May Become Director of Dominion Farms.

A despatch from Ottawa says: It is stated that Prof. Robertson, head of the Commission on Technical Education and Industrial Training, is likely to be induced to return to the Government service and succeed Dr. William Saunders as director of the Dominion experimental farms.

Census Commissioners for Ontario have been appointed.

NEARLY \$2,000 IN FINES

Unlicensed Liquor Dealers in Cochrane and Kelso Raided

A despatch from Cobalt says: The second chapter in the raid planned by the Provincial License Department resulted in the collection of fines amounting to \$1,990 at Kelso and Cochrane. The round-up there and in Cobalt simultaneously was carried out by Chief Caldwell and his men without a hitch. The charges were for selling liquor without a license. Following were the cases:—Kelso—Wm. Mulligan, \$100; John McMillan, \$100; Jas. Burke, \$50; Waterman, \$150; Dr. Hartigan, \$40; Jas. Marshal, \$200. Cochrane—John Philbert, \$100;

Clifford Vansett, \$100; Joe Gagnon, \$100; Jas. O'Reilly, \$200; A. Vizeau, \$100; T. Fitzgerald, \$100; P. Murphy, \$100; Edward Fournier, \$100; T. Lamothe, \$100; L. Raymore, \$200.

Chas. Johnston, committed for trial at North Bay, charged with breaking into Cochrane Jail and stealing 30 cases of liquor, is out on \$1,500 bail, and A. Peterson on \$1,000 bail on the same charge.

Edward Pigeon was sentenced to fifteen months in the Central Prison on Thursday afternoon by Magistrate Atkinson for forging a check for \$55.

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The Banana.

Some people believe that the banana was the original forbidden fruit of the garden of Eden. In any case it is one of the curiosities of the vegetable kingdom, being not a tree, a palm, a bush, a shrub, a vegetable or an herb, but a herbaceous plant with the status of a tree. Although it sometimes attains a height of thirty feet, there is no woody fibre in any part of its structure, and the bunches growing on the dwarf banana plant are often heavier than the stalk which supports them. No other plant gives such a quantity of food to the acre as the banana. It yields forty-four times more weight than the potato and 133 times more than wheat. Moreover, no insect will attack it, and it is always immune from disease of any kind.

Longest Flight by Birds.

Perhaps the longest straightway flight made by birds in their migrations is accomplished by some of the shore and water birds that nest in the islands of Behring Sea and spend the winter at Hawaii and Fanning Island, 2,200 miles away. Inasmuch as some of these birds live entirely on the shore and are probably unable to rest on the surface of the water, it is thought that they must accomplish the whole distance in a single flight. Yet, although there are no landmarks for them upon their long journey over a waste of waters, they make their way to their destination with the precision of a rifle shot.

London to Have Mosque.

It is proposed to erect a mosque in the capital of the greatest Mohammedan power in the world, and the only surprising feature of the project is that it has not been executed before. The building is to cost \$500,000, to which the Agra Khan has already contributed \$25,000. The committee in control of the scheme is presided over by Amir Ali and includes the Turkish and Persian Ministers, as well as three members of the Council of India.—London Globe.

An Emotional Trunk.

Will Reciprocity Increase Farm Values?

[From The Canadian Century]

Advocates of reciprocity are making statement to the effect that the adoption of reciprocity will immediately increase the value of Canadian farm lands 25 per cent. or more. Instead of making wild guesses let us get at the facts. Since the reciprocity negotiations began the United States Government has had a report prepared by experts showing the comparative value per acre of improved farm lands in 1900 and 1910 in various border states and in the Canadian provinces adjoining them. This report states that between 1900 and 1910 the value of improved farm lands increased 67 per cent. in Maine, 87 per cent. in New Hampshire, 33 per cent. in Vermont, 181 per cent. in Nova Scotia, 120 per cent. in New Brunswick, 70 per cent. in Prince Edward Island, 80 per cent. in Quebec, 43 per cent. in Ontario, 39 per cent. in Michigan, 77 per cent. in Minnesota, 123 per cent. in Manitoba, 201 per cent. in Saskatchewan and 185 per cent. in Alberta.

The great influx of settlers in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta accounts for the rapid increase in farm value in those provinces; but what is the explanation of the extraordinary increase in farm values in the three Maritime Provinces of Canada? Why did Nova Scotia farm values increase 181 per cent. while farm values in the neighbouring state of Maine only increased 67 per cent.?

Undoubtedly the great increase of values in the Maritime Provinces is due to the establishment of manufacturing industries in recent years. The establishment of great iron and industries in Nova Scotia has revolutionized conditions throughout the three provinces. A profitable home market has been created for everything the farmers produce. These industries have been equally beneficial to the fishermen. As the steel industries are located in Nova Scotia the influence on the price of farm lands has been most marked in that province, but Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick have been greatly benefited. The development of St. John as a winter port has also helped to increase farm values in New Brunswick.

It will be noted that the increase of farm values is considerably greater in Quebec than in Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, and the improvement has been greater in Ontario than in the adjoining state of Michigan.

In the face of such facts how foolish it is to indulge in wild dreams of a sudden increase in Canadian farm values as a result of reciprocity.

The Price of Barley.

From October 1, 1890, to August 27, 1894, the United States customs duty on barley was 30 cents per bushel. From August 27, 1894, to July 24, 1897, the duty was thirty per cent. ad valorem, equivalent to a little over ten cents per bushel. On July 24, 1897, the specific duty of thirty cents per bushel was restored and it has been continued ever since. Of course during a period of 21 years there would naturally be considerable variations in prices, but for purposes of comparison it will be fair to take the three years previous to the reduction of the duty, the three years during which the low duty prevailed and the first three years after the duty of thirty cents per bushel was restored. According to reports of the United States Department of Agriculture the farm prices of barley averaged 44.26 cents per bushel during 1892, 1898 and 1894 under a specific duty of thirty cents per bushel. In 1895, 1896 and 1897, under a duty of about ten cents per bushel the farm prices averaged 34.53 while for 1898, 1899 and 1900, under a specific duty of thirty cents per bushel, the prices averaged 40.8 cents per bushel. Thus, instead of the Canadian farmer getting an increased price for the barley he sent to the United States as a result of the reduced duty the price came down in the United States.

It is reasonable to draw the conclusion that if as a result of reciprocity large quantities of Canadian barley, wheat and oats go into the United States, it is more probable that the American prices will come down than that the Canadian prices will go up.

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When the sewers of the body—bowels, kidneys and skin ducts—get clogged up, the blood quickly becomes impure and frequently sores break out over the body. The way to heal them, as Mr. Richard Wilson, who lives near London, Ont., found, is to purify the blood. He writes:

"For some time I had been in a low, depressed condition. My appetite left me and I soon began to suffer from indigestion. Quite a number of small sores and blotches formed all over my skin. I tried medicine for the blood and used many kinds of ointments, but without satisfactory results. What was wanted was a thorough cleansing of the blood, and I looked about in vain for some medicine that would accomplish this.

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Brazil is a great country for queer organizations, but perhaps the oddest are the funeral associations. The poorer classes, mostly, patronize these

WHAT WILL THE "AVERAGE COW" DO?

Dairy farmers are rapidly awakening to the necessity of weighing and testing each individual cow in the herd. Twenty new cow testing associations have been organized in Quebec since the beginning of this year: twelve new ones have commenced operations in Ontario: two more in Nova Scotia, and one more each in Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick. This means at least four thousand more cows being checked up each month in addition to the 11,800 in 1910. Probably many more members will be added this month.

The extension work provided for by the establishment of Dairy Record Centres is proceeding briskly. Centres are already in working order in Oxford and Peterboro Counties, Ont., St. Hyacinthe, Que., and at Kensington, P. E. I., with others contemplated. A supervisor has been appointed to extend cow testing in British Columbia.

Some cows have started with excellent records for January and February: yields of 1,990 and 1,490 pounds of milk and over 50 pounds of fat for the two months, are good indications of dairy possibilities for this season. What is the "average" cow intending to do this year?

Forms for recording weights of milk are supplied free on application to the Dairy Commissioner, Ottawa. When applying, the number of cows should be stated and whether forms are required for weighing daily or on three days each month.

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The Banana.

Some people believe that the banana was the original forbidden fruit of the garden of Eden. In any case it is one of the curiosities of the vegetable kingdom, being not a tree, a palm, a bush, a shrub, a vegetable or an herb, but a herbaceous plant with the status of a tree. Although it sometimes attains a height of thirty feet, there is no woody fibre in any part of its structure, and the bunches growing on the dwarf banana plant are often heavier than the stalk which supports them. No other plant gives such a quantity of food to the acre as the banana. It yields forty-four times more weight than the potato and 133 times more than wheat. Moreover, no insect will attack it, and it is always immune from disease of any kind.

Longest Flight by Birds.

Perhaps the longest straightaway flight made by birds in their migrations is accomplished by some of the shore and water birds that nest in the islands of Behring Sea and spend the winter at Hawaii and Fanning Island, 2,200 miles away. Inasmuch as some of these birds live entirely on the shore and are probably unable to rest on the surface of the water, it is thought that they must accomplish the whole distance in a single flight. Yet, although there are no landmarks for them upon their long journey over a waste of waters, they make their way to their destination with the precision of a rifle shot.

London to Have Mosque.

It is proposed to erect a mosque in the capital of the greatest Mohammedan power in the world, and the only surprising feature of the project is that it has not been executed before. The building is to cost \$500,000, to which the Agra Khan has already contributed \$25,000. The committee in control of the scheme is presided over by Amir Ali and includes the Turkish and Persian Ministers, as well as three members of the Council of India.—London Globe.

An Emotional Trunk

Will Reciprocity Increase Farm Values?

[From The Canadian Century]

Advocates of reciprocity are making statement to the effect that the adoption of reciprocity will immediately increase the value of Canadian farm lands 25 per cent. or more. Instead of making wild guesses let us get at the facts. Since the reciprocity negotiations began the United States Government has had a report prepared by experts showing the comparative value per acre of improved farm lands in 1900 and 1910 in various border states and in the Canadian provinces adjoining them. This report states that between 1900 and 1910 the value of improved farm lands increased 67 per cent. in Maine, 87 per cent. in New Hampshire, 33 per cent. in Vermont, 181 per cent. in Nova Scotia, 120 per cent. in New Brunswick, 70 per cent. in Prince Edward Island, 80 per cent. in Quebec, 43 per cent. in Ontario, 39 per cent. in Michigan, 77 per cent. in Minnesota, 123 per cent. in Manitoba, 201 per cent. in Saskatchewan and 185 per cent. in Alberta.

The great influx of settlers in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta accounts for the rapid increase in farm value in those provinces; but what is the explanation of the extraordinary increase in farm values in the three Maritime Provinces of Canada? Why did Nova Scotia farm values increase 181 per cent. while farm values in the neighbouring state of Maine only increased 67 per cent.?

Undoubtedly the great increase of values in the Maritime Provinces is due to the establishment of manufacturing industries in recent years. The establishment of great iron and industries in Nova Scotia has revolutionized conditions throughout the three provinces. A profitable home market has been created for everything the farmers produce. These industries have been equally beneficial to the fishermen. As the steel industries are located in Nova Scotia the influence on the price of farm lands has been most marked in that province, but Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick have been greatly benefited. The development of St. John as a winter port has also helped to increase farm values in New Brunswick.

It will be noted that the increase of farm values is considerably greater in Quebec than in Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, and the improvement has been greater in Ontario than in the adjoining state of Michigan.

In the face of such facts how foolish it is to indulge in wild dreams of a sudden increase in Canadian farm values as a result of reciprocity.

The Price of Barley.

From October 1, 1890, to August 27, 1894, the United States customs duty on barley was 30 cents per bushel. From August 27, 1894, to July 24, 1897, the duty was thirty per cent. ad valorem, equivalent to a little over ten cents per bushel. On July 24, 1897, the specific duty of thirty cents per bushel was restored and it has been continued ever since. Of course during a period of 21 years there would naturally be considerable variations in prices, but for purposes of comparison it will be fair to take the three years previous to the reduction of the duty, the three years during which the low duty prevailed and the first three years after the duty of thirty cents per bushel was restored. According to reports of the United States Department of Agriculture the farm prices of barley averaged 44 26 cents per bushel during 1892, 1893 and 1894 under a specific duty of thirty cents per bushel. In 1895, 1896 and 1897, under a duty of about ten cents per bushel the farm prices averaged 34.53 while for 1898, 1899 and 1900, under a specific duty of thirty cents per bushel, the prices averaged 40.8 cents per bushel. Thus, instead of the Canadian farmer getting an increased price for the barley he sent to the United States as a result of the reduced duty the price came down in the United States.

It is reasonable to draw the conclusion that if as a result of reciprocity large quantities of Canadian barley, wheat and oats go into the United States, it is more probable that the American prices will come down than that the Canadian prices will go up.

PURIFIED HIS BLOOD

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When the sewers of the body—bowels, kidneys and skin ducts—get clogged up, the blood quickly becomes impure and frequently sores break out over the body. The way to heal them, as Mr. Richard Wilson, who lives near London, Ont., found, is to purify the blood. He writes:

"For some time I had been in a low, depressed condition. My appetite left me and I soon began to suffer from indigestion. Quite a number of small sores and blotches formed all over my skin. I tried medicine for the blood and used many kinds of ointments, but without satisfactory results. What was wanted was a thorough cleansing of the blood, and I looked about in vain for some medicine that would accomplish this.

At last Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills were brought to my notice, and they are one of the most wonderful medicines I have ever known. My blood was purified in a very short time, sores healed up, my indigestion vanished. They always have a place in my home and are looked upon as the family remedy."

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WHAT WILL THE "AVERAGE COW" DO?

Dairy farmers are rapidly awakening to the necessity of weighing and testing each individual cow in the herd. Twenty new cow testing associations have been organized in Quebec since the beginning of this year: twelve new ones have commenced operations in Ontario: two more in Nova Scotia, and one more each in Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick. This means at least four thousand more cows being checked up each month in addition to the 11,800 in 1910. Probably many more members will be added this month.

The extension work provided for by the establishment of Dairy Record Centres is proceeding briskly. Centres are already in working order in Oxford and Peterboro Counties, Ont., St. Hyacinthe, Que., and at Kensington, P. E. I., with others contemplated. A supervisor has been appointed to extend cow testing in British Columbia.

Some cows have started with excellent records for January and February: yields of 1,990 and 1,490 pounds of milk and over 50 pounds of fat for the two months, are good indications of dairy possibilities for this season. What is the "average" cow intending to do this year?

Forms for recording weights of milk are supplied free on application to the Dairy Commissioner, Ottawa. When applying, the number of cows should be stated and whether forms are required for weighing daily or on three days each month.

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well as three members of the Council
of India.—London Globe.

An Emotional Trunk.

Landlady—I'll have to request you
to pay in advance, Mr. Smith.
Smith—Why, isn't my trunk good
for a week's board?

Landlady—No. It looks like an old-
fashioned emotional trunk.

Smith—Emotional?

Landlady—Yes; one that is easily
moved!

Secret of the Orange.

Here is a way to tell from the out-
side appearance of an orange how
many pieces there are within: Look
at the stem end of an orange and you
will find that there is a little wheel
where the scar is pulled away from
the stem, with spokes that lead away
from the centre. Count the spaces
between these spokes and you will
know how many pieces the orange has.
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After a Big Haul.

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Only Hearse Distinguishes Procession From Joyful Parades.

Brazil is a great country for queer
organizations, but perhaps the oddest
are the funeral associations. The
poorer classes, mostly, patronize these
organizations, of which there are sev-
eral in every community. Anyone
may join, membership being secured
by the payment of a small annual
fee, and there is but one obligation—
every member must attend every fun-
eral of a fellow member.

A funeral in a Brazilian city—Rio
de Janeiro, for instance—constitutes a
sight which astonishes the stranger.
Rain or shine, long processions of
laughing and chatting people go
through the streets. Large umbrellas
shield them from the tropical sun,
and their gay colored dresses shine
out brightly underneath.

Neither the appearance of the
mourners nor the tinny music of the
band heading the procession suggests a
funeral. The musicians play every-
thing, waltzes, marches, light opera,
but never a dirge. Not infrequently
the mourners stop at a fruit stand or
a bar for refreshment. Only the pres-
ence of a hearse distinguishes these
funeral processions from joyful pa-
rades.

On the night before the burial a few
members enjoy the privilege of repre-
senting the association at the wake.
The windows of the house are always
wide open. The passerby can see into
a poorly lit room. In one corner
stands the coffin. Two flickering can-
dles standing at either end of the
casket throw shadows on the floor. A
bunch of artificial flowers adorns it.
It is a curious fact that in Brazil,
where beautiful flowers grow in abun-
dant, hideously colored make-believe
flowers are preferred.

In another corner of the room there
is a table and six men are sitting
around it. A smelly lamp stands in
the centre with an equally smelly
bottle of whisky. It is no unusual
sight to see these men busily engaged
in a game of baccarat.

In another corner or on the steps of
the house sit the women with their
thick black hair hanging down freely
over neck and shoulders, this being
the way to express grief. They spend
the night singing or rather wailing a
woeful tune. The melody is mostly in
the minor key and consists of not
more than three bars. The women are
provided with dolces or sweets to
compensate them for their faithful
waking.

Thus they sit the night through.
Early the next morning the associa-
tion's members gather before the
death chamber and fall in line. The
stranger who sees the large proces-
sion is filled with surprise. His sur-
prise increases when he learns that
the dead man is only a poor negro
coachman.

"But surely," he says, "he must
have been a wonderful man to have
so many friends to mourn him."
"Ah, no," he is informed, "but he
spent all his money and savings to
join this, the best funeral association.
And I'm sure his soul at this minute
smiles down at seeing so large and
brilliant a procession in his memory."

Audiences.

"I desire an audience with the man-
ager," remarked the dignified smooth
faced person as he approached the
box office of the theatre.

"Step in," replied the man in the
box office. "I think he's looking for
a few audiences himself."

Closed Him Up.

"I never permit myself to become
the slave of a habit."

"Don't you? I had an idea that you
had become a good deal of a slave to
the habit of boasting about your
strength of will."

A Good Second.

"What a blessing civilization has
been to the world! Consider for a
moment the bloody sports of ancient
Rome!"

"Why, what's the matter with an
automobile cup race?"

Dairy Commissioner, Ottawa. When
applying, the number of cows should
be stated and whether forms are
required for weighing daily or on
three days each month.

The Escorial.

The Escorial, or Escorial, is still
in existence, though somewhat dilapi-
dated. This gloomy pile was begun
by Philip II. in 1563 and completed
in 1584 at a cost, it is said, of \$50,-
000,000, reckoned in our money. Ac-
cording to Francisco de Santos, the
total length of all its rooms and
apartments is above 120 English miles.
Its form is that of a gridiron, in honor
of St. Lawrence, on whose day the
Spaniards gained the victory of St.
Quentin. In 1872 the building was
struck by lightning and came very
near being destroyed by fire. The Es-
corial is some twenty-five miles north-
west of Madrid.

The Trouble With One of the Eggs.

A man in a cheap restaurant ordered
two soft-boiled eggs and got them.
Then he opened the eggs. The first
one was all right, but the second—

He called to the waiter.

"Hi, you; look at this egg. I've a
notion to make you eat it."

The waiter came and looked. A far
from pleasing odor arose, but either
the waiter had a bad cold or he re-
fused to notice it.

"What's the matter with them
eggs?" he asked. "They look all
right to me. Wasn't they boiled long
enough?"

"Well," replied the patron slowly,
"they were both boiled long enough,
but one of 'em wasn't boiled soon
enough."

Official Oath In Siam.

If any form of oath is calculated
to impress one, that which is pre-
scribed to the state officials of Siam is
likely so to do. Each official on tak-
ing the oath of office has to say: "May
the blood flow from my veins; may
crocodiles devour me; may I be con-
demned to carry water to the flames of
hell in vessels without bottoms; after
death may I enter into the body of a
slave; may I suffer the harshest
treatments during all time in years as
numerous as the sands of all the seas;
may I be reborn deaf, dumb and blind
and afflicted with dire maladies; may
I also be thrown into Narak—the lower
regions—and tortured by Prea Yam if
I break this oath."

Wouldn't Be Swindled.

Mrs. Newed—I would like a pound
of your best cheese.

Grocer—Yes, ma'am.

Mrs. Newed (examining it)—Why,

this cheese is full of holes.

Grocer—Yes, ma'am; that's the

way it comes.

Mrs. Newed—Well, I don't want
any of it. I'm not going to pay for a
pound of cheese that contains a half
pound of holes!

Painter and Tavern Keeper.

Mariotto Albertinelli, who lived in
the fourteenth century, was a painter
who spent much time in endeavoring
to produce certain mixtures in oil.
He was not very successful and ob-
jected so much to the criticism he
received that he gave up painting
and kept a tavern, but his name as a
painter still lives, while his tavern
keeping record has passed away.

Might Seem Longer.

"Do you think buttermilk will pro-
long one's life, Colonel Soaksby?"

"Ahem! I have no doubt, Miss
Plummer, that if a person had to
drink buttermilk every day it would
make life seem longer."

Undeafed.

The Boy—You're a fine weather
prophet. You said it would snow
before morning.

The Girl—Oh, well, I changed my

mind.

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The Just Judge.

Two women came before a certain magistrate with a fat pullet, each declaring that it belonged to herself. The magistrate from his high seat frowned heavily. "Does this pullet belong to Mrs. Jones?" he asked Mrs. Smith. "No, indeed, it don't sir," she replied. Then he turned to Mrs. Jones. "Does this pullet belong to Mrs. Smith?" "It certainly does not," she replied. "The pullet," the magistrate then decreed, "does not belong to Mrs. Jones, nor does it belong to Mrs. Smith. The pullet is mine. Take it round to the house and give it to my cook."

Using Up Sandwiches.

After a party there are sometimes many sandwiches left over which may be used up in this manner. Dip each sandwich into a rather thick batter and fry it till they are golden brown, in fat from which a blue smoke is rising. They should be served piled up on a lace paper and garnished with parsley, and in such a form will make a delicious breakfast or luncheon dish.

Bonehead.

"John, did you take the note to Mr. Jones?"
"Yes, but I don't think he can read it."
"Why so, John?"
"Because he is blind, sir. While I was in the room he axed me twice where my hat was, and it was on my head all the time."

Poker Was Once "Scharwenkel."

BROKE INTO BANK OF ENGLAND

Forty Armed Guards Outwitted By a Mysterious Visitor.

Since the Gordon riots, which occurred in 1780, the Bank of England has been guarded by troops, mostly men of one of the regiments of guards stationed in London. At sundown these soldiers, some 50 strong, enter the bank with rifles and fixed bayonets and remain there until sunrise the next morning.

Nothing ever happens now inside the bank to disturb the peace at night, but some years ago a man actually broke into the building, notwithstanding its armed guards. One day the directors received an anonymous letter stating that the writer would be pleased to meet any of them at midnight in the strong room, and a week later they were staggered by receiving a box containing securities which had been taken from the vaults. Along with it came another invitation to another midnight meeting.

This time the directors were greatly alarmed and accepted. Three men went into the vaults and waited. Presently they heard a scraping noise and then a light flashed on them and disappeared. Then a man's voice came, promising that if they would put out their lights he would come upon the scene.

The lights were extinguished, and the mysterious visitor duly made his appearance. He proved to be a harmless sewer cleaner, who had made the important discovery that a disused drain ran into the vaults. He was rewarded for bringing the matter to the notice of the directors.

Almost Unbelievable.

Idiotism has been known whose memory for names and words was so retentive that they could repeat a sermon verbatim and indicate where the preacher blew his nose and coughed while delivering it.

Cardinal Massofanti, the linguist, who is said to have known a hundred languages, declared that he never forgot a word he had once learned. To a friend who had congratulated Leyden on his remarkable memory, he replied that he had often found it a source of great inconvenience. On the friend expressing surprise, he explained that he had often wished to recall a particular expression in something he had read, but could not do it until he had repeated the whole passage from the beginning to the expression he desired to recall.

An English clergyman mentions a man who could remember the day of the burial of every person who had died in the parish during 35 years, and could also repeat the name and age of each deceased person and the names of the mourners at his funeral, but so weak was he intellectually that he could not be trusted to feed himself.

Dr. Moffat, the distinguished African missionary, and father-in-law of Dr. Livingstone, once preached a long sermon to a crowd of negroes. Shortly after he had finished he saw a number of negroes gather about a simple-minded savage. He went to them and discovered that the savage was preaching his sermon over again. Not only was he reproducing the precise words, but imitating the manner and gestures of the white preacher.

Defined.

Albert—A dog that runs under a carriage is called a carriage dog, is it not?
Egbert—Certainly!
Albert—Well, what would you call a dog that runs under a motor-car?
Egbert—Why, a dead one.

The Gossiper.

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The eye only sees a little smoke from the pistol and a couple of holes in the bladder, from which the water runs; but when this is cinematographed and the film is shown slowly a very interesting series of operations can be watched.

First the bullet is seen approaching. It is traveling 1,000 feet a second, but it seems to move quite deliberately. In front of it and extending a long way above and below it is a dim line, bent sharply immediately before the bullet. A bullet can no more pass through air than a vessel can through water without making a wave; and this is the air wave. It is made visible on account of its different density, just as the waves in air are seen above a chimney or over hot ground.

Behind the bullet come scattered grains of the powder that have not been burned, and traveling more slowly still comes the wad. The bullet enters the bladder and disappears inside, a little water spouting out of the hole it makes. Then it reaches the other side, but it no longer comes through at once, as it did when the bladder was backed up by the water.

Something like a finger seems to push the bladder outward into a long tube, then the tube opens and lets out the bullet, which gradually travels away. The tube does not at once collapse; its form is maintained by the stream of water which followed the projectile.

Mohammedan New Year Festival.

Taboots is an Indian festival in connection with the celebration of the month of Moharram, which begins the years of the true Mohammedan. This festival commemorates the death of Prince Hussein, the grandson of Mohammed, who met his death in battle after ten days' fighting against King Omar. The word taboot, from which the festival takes its name, means literally a tomb, and it is always built in front of the homes of some rich and important Mohammedans and under a temporary shed built for this purpose.

The taboots are made from thin bamboo strips covered with highly colored paper, and it is always decorated with isinglass, gold and silver paper, glass balls and much red and green paint. On the ninth day of the festival of taboots the taboots are carried in a procession through the streets of the various cities in India. On the tenth day all the taboots are thrown into some river, and thus ends the Mohammedan festival of taboots.

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Poker Was Once "Scharwenzel."

Germans claim that poker is an old German game which for more than a hundred years has been played and is still being played in some districts of Westphalia. Emigrants took it to the United States, and there its name of "scharwenzel" became "poker."

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Winning to Lose.

Prince Vladimir Teropakoff, a penniless nobleman, sacrificed his life at Moscow in an attempt to win a strange wager. Count Waldig, a wealthy landowner, made a bet with him that he would not drink a gallon of liquor at a draft. The prince's reward if he accomplished the feat was to be the title deeds of a valuable estate. The prince ate nothing all day with the exception of a salt herring, and in the evening, in the presence of the count and four witnesses, he raised the gallon jar and drank steadily until he set it down empty. The title deeds of the estate were handed to him, but hardly had he received them when he sank to the ground and died in a few moments.

Conquering the Atlantic.

Whether the ocean traveler is rich or poor, he can no more realize the contrast between his experience and that of the first men who crossed the Atlantic than the tourist gliding over a storm swept moor in a closed motor-car can feel the misery of a tramp staggering over it in open rags. The Atlantic is as cruel as ever—a treacherous, gloomy and violent sea—but so completely is it baffled and shut out, so smoothly ridden over, that the old traveler, hardly conscious of its being, is half inclined to think its character reformed. What higher praise can be given and what less praise is due to our modern shipbuilders?—London Times.

Looking Down a Well.

EVERY CASE IS FATAL

PLAGUE IN CHINA MOST DEADLY IN WORLD'S HISTORY.

The Oriental Scourge, Aided by Ignorance and Superstition, Spreads With Fearful Rapidity—Classed With the Black Plague In Point of Its Thoroughness In Wiping Out People In Its Path.

All the resources of science have as yet proved unavailing in the battle with the deadly scourge that is now sweeping the northern coast of China. The plague, which is of pneumonic type, is spreading with fearful rapidity aided by the ignorance and superstition of the inhabitants and the unsanitary conditions. Thousands of coffins containing the corpses of plague victims have been burned by the authorities in charge of the native city of Harbin. In view of the bitter prejudice of the Chinese against cremation, it was not possible to adopt this extreme measure until the arrival of heavy military reinforcements, and it is believed that the accumulation of dead bodies contributed much to the spread of the disease, the earth being so frozen that they could not be buried. The authorities are unable to affirm positively how the epidemic originated, but favor the theory that the first victim was a Chinese trapper who contracted the disease from the fur of an animal resembling the marmot and bearing the Chinese name of "bartagen," since when it has been spread by human agency, not by rats.

It is recognized that the pneumonic, or Mongolian plague, is far more dangerous and more contagious than the bubonic plague which is a source of continued uneasiness. Mongolian plague is explained as the worst known form. Only one case of it has ever been reported in the United States. What measures would have to be resorted to should the disease reach the United States is not discussed, it being the firm determination of the authorities to prevent it ever reaching that country. A single case might necessitate the most drastic measures and result in a scourge difficult to check or eradicate.

Many American missionaries and physicians are in the forefront of the fight in Manchuria and grave fears are entertained for their safety.

Low temperature is probably favorable to the activities of the disease and no recoveries have been reported, even after the use of the anti-plague serum, which was expected to confer immunity. It is the only disease known to history from which there has been no instance of recovery.

Dr. H. A. Peck, American medical attaché to the Chih Li provincial Government, who is investigating the infected districts, says as follows:

"The plague is wholly of the pneumonic type, because the bacillus enters the lungs in breathing. The bacillus appears under the microscope to be the same as that of the bubonic type. It is propagated only by close contact. The bacillus does not go far through the air outside the body. It dies quickly when breathed fresh from the lungs of an infected person. It finds an enormous culture bed in the mucous membrane of the lungs and multiplies rapidly. There being no lymphatic glands to protect the system and strain out the bacilli the disease is rapidly fatal in 100 per cent. of cases.

"Rats and fleas are no factor in infection, which is wholly through the breath and sputum. While it would be possible for fleas to carry the bacillus and infect a person with

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Chinese medical authorities are not up to date and are insufficient for efficacious action. They are obliged often to refer to Peking, and the ignorant indecision of the Peking authorities only serves to increase the calamity. The Chinese city, Fuchiatien, is practically a city of the dead. Of the 30,000 inhabitants less than half remain, all those who were able to flee having done so.

Soldiers now form a cordon around Fuchiatien. The spirit of the remaining inhabitants is completely crushed and they are now stolidly awaiting their fate. Preparations are being made to burn 1,000 coffins which remain unburied. Many of them have burst open and dogs are feeding on the protruding bodies. Soldiers are now killing all dogs. Rows of houses have been burned and it is believed that practically the whole city must be destroyed.

In the Russian and Chinese cities bodies are still carried surreptitiously from the houses and cast into the streets or vacant lots, the inmates concealing the deaths from the plague through fear of the removal of sus-

DEATH PENALTY IN PERSIA.

Ingenious Way of Lengthening Out the Process of Beheading.

The death penalty in Persia may be met in a number of different ways. A few years ago the assassin of the reigning Shah of Persia was hanged. A large crowd was allowed to look on, just as they used to be allowed to look on when criminals were executed in England. Persia still clings to an old theory which the west has outgrown—the theory that public sight of an execution acts as a warning against crime. Maybe, but more likely the western nations are right. Certainly the Persian authorities, with all their public severities, have not succeeded in stamping out a tendency of vicious and evil-tempered men to kill like wild animals when savage instincts take possession of them.

It makes no difference how horribly the consequences are going to roll back over themselves. When they "see red" they are wild beasts. And, to tell the truth, such men often get punished with a ferocity which you can hardly imagine. A man is tied across the mouth of a cannon. The cannon is fired. Well, his sufferings were no worse, I suppose, than if he were electrocuted, but the spectacle is more sickening. The public executioner has ingenious ways of lengthening out the process of a beheading. He cut off one arm, the other arm—one leg, the other leg—will it never be done? Yes. There goes the head. One more bad man has gone to meet a Judge who knows the case better than any earthly judge.

A Mohammedan husband is supposed to attend to any small matter of discipline where the women of his family are concerned, just as he does where his boys are concerned. In a very serious case, such as murder done by a jealous or passionate wife, the leader of the mosque deals out justice. The civil authorities do not deal with a woman at all in the event of such a tragedy. And in the woman's case there is always an effort to keep her crime and her fate a secret. The respectable widow of a murdered man has been known to die suddenly with something like acute indigestion. A strong dose of poison sternly prescribed by the leader of the mosque does certainly check the digestion.

Occasionally—not often—a sack of stout cloth inclosing something heavy

Twenty-one old-age pensioners live in the village of Bintry, Norfolk, England, which has a population of 300. Their ages aggregate 1,649 years, the oldest being ninety-five and the youngest seventy-one.

MACDONALD.

April 1.—Elmore Hambly has sold his farm to James Clark.
Charles Hambly has sold his farm to William Hambly and both have moved over on the high shore.
James Miller has leased A. A. Bartlett's farm, at Bardolph and moved a few weeks ago. About seventy of their friends from Macdonald, Bardolph and Gosport, assembled at their residence on the evening of the 14th, and gave them a variety shower. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening was spent.
John and Alexander McKendry, Bardolph, have sold their farm to Frank Hawley.
A meeting of the patrons of Excelsior cheese factory was held, when the milk routes were sold. Charles Rembough and James Kesch will draw on Macdonald route and Joseph Hicks on Bardolph.
Belyat Outwaters, Hay Bay, left, on Monday last, for the west.

CAMDEN EAST.

Messrs. Parrott and McGinnis were shipping potatoes to Toronto the past week.
Rev. Roy McWilliams, Albert College, Belleville, delivered a very impressive sermon in the Methodist Church last Sunday evening. He has spent much of his boyhood days in our midst and we wish him success in the work of his choice.
A union meeting was held in the Presbyterian Church on Thursday afternoon of last week to arrange for a series of S. S. conventions to be given during the coming summer.

Mrs. Fee is visiting in our midst this week.
Mr. O'Hara's horse had a narrow escape from drowning last Sunday morning by falling through the ice on the river here but was found and rescued before life was extinct.
Mr. and Mrs. Simmons, Wilton, spent Saturday last with Mr. and Mrs. S. Hamilton.
Mr. Percy Furrs, Colebrook; Mr. Jas. Hamilton, Bethel; Mr. Bert Amey and two sisters, Misses Florence and Pearl Amey and Miss Genevieve Taylor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Skinner Sunday afternoon last.
Mr. R. Smith and sister Agnes, Sandhurst, are spending a week with relatives and friends in this vicinity.
Mr. Bigel Parrott arrived home Friday evening last to spend a few days with his wife and daughter Bertie.
Mrs. Arthur Parrott, Bicknells Co., spent a few days with Mrs. L. H. Stover last week.
Mr. Alfred Gardiner left last week for Kingston, where he has secured a position with the Wormwith Piano Co. for the season.

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BATH.

March 30.—William Tuckett, who had a stroke of paralysis last week, is slowly improving.
The ice in the bay here is quite unsafe for driving.
Miss Nettie Glass, of Trenton, is visiting at Norman Rikley's.
Dr. Nelson is speedily recovering.
Mrs. A. Irish is able to be around again.
George Bristow moved last week into the house owned by Mrs. Hogle.

TAMWORTH.

March 30.—Stanley Carscallen, of Cobalt, was here on Monday and Tuesday last.
A pretty wedding took place at St. Andrew's Presbyterian manse, Tamworth, when Albert Whiteman of Marlbank, and Miss Norah McAdams, of township of Sheffield, were united in marriage by J. K. Henry, B. A. The bride was beautifully gowned in white silk. Nelson Frizzell was best man and Miss Silma McAdams was bridesmaid.
Mrs. James Milligan, aged ninety-six, is very poorly.

MOSCOW.

William Close has moved to his farm at Moscow, which he recently bought from F. P. Johnston. Mr. Johnston has moved to the house opposite the store.
Stanley Sproule returned to his home in Belleville on Monday.
Dr. A. M. Bell, of Toronto, was

DESERONTO.

March 30.—At his residence, corner of Main and Green streets, on Thursday morning, there passed away a fine gentleman and a highly respected resident of Deseronto, John Joyce, aged seventy-four years. He is survived by his widow, five daughters and two sons. He was born in Joyceville, Frontenac, where he spent fifty-two years of his life, coming to Deseronto twenty-two years ago. His funeral was held to St. Vincent de Paul church, where grand requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Father J. P. Hartigan, to the Deseronto cemetery. His two sons, Matthew, of Camden East, and Vincent C., of Deseronto, and four brothers, Messrs. Patrick, of Joyceville; Luke and Richard of Sydenham; Matthew, of Kingston, were pall-bearers. Patrick Joyce, of Ottawa, and James Martin, of Cusheandall, brothers-in-law, attended the funeral.

On Wednesday Ernest Carscallen, aged nineteen years, passed away at the home of his parents. He is survived by his parents, one brother and three sisters. The funeral was held on Friday afternoon, by Rev. C. W. DeMille, of Napanee, after which the remains were placed in Deseronto cemetery vault.

William P. Green, who had not been in fairly good health of late, but was down street on Tuesday morning last and went home, had his dinner, went to the woods for a load of wood and returned, unhitched his team, and going to unload, when he was taken with a hemorrhage and passed away, aged forty-three years. He is survived by his wife and three children, one sister and one brother. The funeral service took place on Thursday, to Christ Church, Tyndinaga. Rev. A. H. Creggan conducted the burial service. The remains were placed in the Deseronto cemetery vault.

The census enumerators for 1911 are Walter Stratton, Evan J. Edwards and W. J. Stainton.

A number of cars have arrived, this week, and are being unloaded in the Mill pond.

Mrs. Frederick Frost was in Belleville, on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Mitchell spent Wednesday in Napanee.

Miss Agnes Logue, of Belleville, spent Tuesday with Misses Therrien. Mr. and Mrs. A. Deen, of Kingston, and Mrs. Dunnett, of Haileybury, attended the funeral of their father the late James Heaney, on Monday.

Archibald Thompson received a telegram on Thursday stating that the man found dead at McKenzie, near Port Arthur, on the 16th inst., had been positively identified by Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Caughlin and their son and other friends of deceased, as his son, Charles Thompson. In August last on leaving, he told them he was going to the north-west to take up land.

Deceased was born at Amherst Island, where he resided until about eighteen years ago when his parents removed here. He was a sailor by occupation and for many years was captain of whaleback barges trading on the upper lakes. About 10 years ago he married Miss Hester Metcalfe, of Portsmouth, where his widow resides. He was forty-nine years of age, and is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Thompson, and the following brothers and sisters:—Mrs. John Wilson, of Whitmont; Agnes, Hugh and Cecil, in Deseronto; Robert and David of Cleveland; and William, of Syracuse, and his widow in Portsmouth.

His father telegraphed the authorities at Port Arthur to have the body forwarded to Deseronto and it reached here

FINE TONIC FOR WOMEN.



DENBIGH.

Mr. Paul Berger and his sister, Clara, of Wilberforce, spent a few days visiting their mother, Mrs. J. Rahm. The latter has returned their visit and spent a few days, partly on business, at her old home in Renfrew County.

Mr. A. Kittner, of Arnprior, a former resident here, enjoyed a couple of weeks visiting relatives and old neighbors in the vicinity.

Albert John, who was engaged in lumbering during the winter near Sault St Marie, has arrived home to assist his father with his springs work on the farm.

Mrs. Alfred Glaser and her two children, who have been the welcome guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Glaser for about three months, left again for their present place of residence in New Ontario.

Our village school which had been closed since the Christmas vacations because the Board of Trustees could not get a teacher having the desired qualifications, has opened at last with Mrs. N. Riley, of Kingston, as principal.

Mr. M. R. Reid, I.P.S., paid an official visit last week to the schools in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stein moved on their own farm west of this village last week.

Mr. Jos. Youmans and family have moved on Mr. J. S. Lane's farm adjoining the village.

Mr. A. Kerr has rented what is known as the Pennock farm from Mrs. W. J. Slater and intends to move on it soon.

Willie Rahm, who has been away in New Ontario since fall, has just returned home to assist his father with the farmwork.

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Department's Amusing Mode of Procedure—One Incident.

Fire are few and far between in Mexico City, as most of the buildings are built either of stone or adobe, with walls two feet or more in thickness. The fire department, writes an observing tourist, is therefore elementary in character and when it turns out on parade it resembles a dog and pony circus. The engine is about the size of a tea kettle and is spiritedly dragged around by a little long-eared burro.

There was a fire in a photograph gallery not long ago and the department was called out. The gallery was situated on the third floor and the totally inadequate engine was unable to get a stream that high. When the fire company arrived at the scene the officer in charge lined all of his men up along the sidewalk and carefully called the roll before they were permitted to get busy with the fire. The fire of course took every advantage of this opportunity and by the time the firemen got on the job it was beyond control.

Among the fire-fighting equipment was a small extension ladder and it required fifteen minutes to erect it and then no one seemed to care to ascend it and they cannot be blamed in view of what happened afterward. Finally, some five minutes after the ladder had been set in place one brave soul essayed the ascent and just as he reached the top of the ladder it collapsed and slid together. This landed the daring fireman opposite the second story balcony.

He stepped off on the balcony into safety and was rewarded with a thunder of "bravos" from the spectators below. Tipping his hat in appreciation of the applause, he stood there, the admired of all beholders, while his companions in arms below cheered as wildly as the rest. Having faithfully performed their duty, they watched the fire burn its last and then called a policeman and arrested it. So the proprietor, because in Mexico if a fire occurs in your establishment you must tell the authorities all about it, give your real name and be glad to escape with a life sentence.

He Had to Pay.

A farmer, calling on a village school, was asked by the master if he would like to question the scholars.

So he said to the class: "If either of you can tell me the depth of the moon, the depth of the sea and what I am thinking about I will give a prize of sixpence."

There were twin brothers in this class named Sam and Joe. Now, Joe put up his hand, and the teacher said, "Well, Sam, what is your answer?" Joe replied, "The depth of the moon is four quarters, the depth of the sea is a stone's throw, and then he paused."

The farmer responded, "Well, Sam, what am I thinking about?"

"Why, you are talking you are talking to Sam when it is his brother Joe!"

A Unique Comment.

An illiterate Irishman had just been convicted of cold blooded murder, and the death sentence was about to be pronounced upon him. All through the trial he had shown little interest in what had been going on, had not seemed to realize any of the proceedings and had not opened his mouth to any one but his counsel.

To pass sentence upon him the court ordered him to stand. He stood, blinking at those around him.

"Have you anything to say," droned the judge impressively, "why the sentence of death should not be pronounced upon you at this time?"

Whereupon the Irishman whispered to his counsel, who was standing by: "Ain't he th' gloomy devil?"

**Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA**

Wilson, or Whitmont; Agnes, Hugh and Cecil, in Deseronto; Robert and David of Cleveland; and William, of Syracuse, and his widow in Portsmouth.

Stanley Sproule returned to his home in Belleville on Monday.

Dr. A. M. Bell, of Toronto, was called to the bedside of his brother, John, who has been seriously ill.

Mrs. William Allen is also under the doctor's care.

Quite a number from here attended the reciprocity meeting in Napanee on Saturday.

Maxwell Hudgens is the proud father of a baby boy.

Farmers wanting coal can get it at the Rathbun yard.

F. E. VanLoven.

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ODESSA.

Thomas York and R. H. Peters have been busy exchanging property. Mr. Peters gets Mr. York's farm south of the village, and in exchange Mr. York is given seventeen village lots, including furniture, store and the balance in cash. Mr. York purposes moving here next fall.

Gladwin Clark, of Montreal, is home with his parents.

Austin M. Fraser has been ill with measles.

Bernard Oswald attended the funeral of his cousin the late Mr. Goulding, in Watertown, N. Y., last week.

Ralph Burgess left on Tuesday for Calgary, where he intends spending the summer.

Philip Oswald returned last week from Riverside, Cal. He thinks he came back too soon, as he had no idea we had snow in this part of the country. He left for Montreal on Thursday.

D. A. Nesbit, public school inspector visited the schools in this district last week.

Wilbur Metzler has purchased the gasoline engine and sawing outfit from R. Burgess.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Hartman Snider, aged fifty-four years, was held on Wednesday, last Rev. J. C. Bell officiating. The remains were taken to Cataragui cemetery. Mrs. Snider passed away on Monday night after an illness of several weeks. She was a faithful member of the Methodist church and will be greatly missed. She is survived by her husband and two sisters, Mrs. Lapum, of Wilton, and Mrs. J. F. Dawson, of this place.

Mrs. William Henzy, Sr., formerly Mrs. Leverton, seventy-three years old, has since January 1st, last, pieced and quilted twenty-nine quilts, also knit two pounds of yarn and done her own housework. She says if some "youngster" can beat that to "trot her out," and she will set a still better pace.

The "at home" given by the Ladies' Aid was held at Mrs. N. F. Snider's on Thursday afternoon and was a success.

A party was held at John Graham's on Friday night.

A party of young people, numbering about forty, surprised Miss Pearl Silver and Earle Silver on Friday night. An most enjoyable time was spent.

Look Out For This Woman.

You can easily tell her. She has a clear complexion, rosy cheeks and there is none of that don't care to live air about her. She took Merrill's System Tonic. For weak watery blood, female troubles, dull pains in the back and tired listless feelings. System Tonic is a sure safe and speedy cure. In pleasant-to-take tablet form, three weeks' treatment, fifty cents at all drug stores or direct by mail from The Merrill Medical Co., Merrill Building, Toronto.

Sold and recommended by T. B. Wallace, Druggist.

Wilson, or Whitmont; Agnes, Hugh and Cecil, in Deseronto; Robert and David of Cleveland; and William, of Syracuse, and his widow in Portsmouth.

His father telegraphed the authorities at Port Arthur to have the body forwarded to Deseronto and it reached here on Monday, and was buried in the Deseronto cemetery.

Farmers wanting coal can get it at the Rathbun yard.

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collapse. The only remedy is Food, Rest and nerve repair. "ASAYA-NEURALL" is and makes possible this cure. It feeds the nerves, induces sleep, improves the appetite and digestion; and soon full nerve vigor is regained. \$1.50 per bottle. Obtain from the local agent.

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a waltz or two-step that is long enough, a monologue that gets somewhere and musical selections played as the composer intended, not cut or hurried.

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SPRING REMINDERS OF RHEUMATISM

Raw, Damp Weather Starts the
Pain, but the Trouble Lies
in the Blood

Spring weather is bad for rheumatic sufferers. The changes from mild to severe weather, cold, raw, damp winds following mildness start the aches and twinges, or in more extreme cases, the tortures of the trouble going. But it must be borne in mind that it is not the weather that causes rheumatism, the trouble is rooted in the blood—the changeable weather merely starts the pains. The only way to reach the trouble and to cure it is through the blood. The poisonous rheumatic acids must be thrown off and driven out. This is a solemn medical truth every rheumatic sufferer should realize. Liniments and outward application may give temporary relief, but they never did and never can cure rheumatism. Any doctor will tell you this is true. The sufferer is only wasting time and money with this sort of treatment, and all the time the trouble is becoming more firmly rooted—and harder to cure. There is just one sure, speedy cure for rheumatism—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They act directly on the weak, impure and tainted blood. They purify and strengthen it and thus root out the cause of rheumatism. Here is a bit of proof out of thousands of similar cases that might be given. Mrs. F. X. Boisseau, St. Jerome, Que., says: "For almost two years I was a terrible sufferer from rheumatism. The trouble first located in the right leg, making work about the house impossible, and walking very difficult. I tried to cure myself by means of all sorts of liniments and lotions, but with no result—it was only money wasted. The trouble constantly grew worse and the pains more unbearable. Finally it attacked the other leg, and I was all but helpless and completely discouraged, thinking I would be a sufferer for the rest of my life. At this time I read in our home paper of the trouble being cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I decided to try them. After using the pills for several weeks I could see that they were helping me, and I continued taking them until I had used nine or ten boxes, when every symptom of the trouble had disappeared and I could walk as well as ever I did. Had I known of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills earlier I would have saved myself much suffering and much money spent in other useless treatment as well."

Whether you are ailing or not a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will increase your vitality and give you increased strength to withstand the torrid summer weather coming, when even the strongest feel easily fagged out. You can get these pills from any dealer in medicines or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

STILL IN SUSPENSE.

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FORTUNE FAVORS THE BRAVE; OR, A LOOK INTO THE PAST

CHAPTER X.—(Cont'd)

As she met the glance of those black eyes, she shivered, then pride gave her strength. With a bow she was passing him, when Thomas Crawshaw stopped her.

"Wait a bit, Nancy, I want a word with you, if you please."

She turned pale as death.

Was this the fulfilment already of her vague presentiment?

"You seem to have something on your mind, Nancy," Crawshaw went on, fixing her with his eyes; "have you had bad news from home?"

The last sentence roused her anger.

"I have business indoors, Mr. Crawshaw; you will pardon me if I leave you, I—"

"Your business can wait," he said, quietly, and at his tone she shrank back.

There was a nasty air of determination about him; she felt a sudden loathing and fear spring up anew for this man.

"I have waited for this opportunity, Nancy," Crawshaw went on slowly, "and I am not going to lose it, now I've got it; I have a good deal to say to you, my girl."

He paused, and Nancy, weakened from her long, anxious mental struggle, and faint with the heat, leaned her hand on the top of the rustic seat to support herself.

But though she was physically weak, her mental courage was strong.

"You can have nothing to say to me to which I care to listen," she said, in quiet, forcible tones.

A flash of anger shot across Crawshaw's swarthy face.

"I've got a question to ask you," he replied, shortly, "and I want an answer!"

Nancy turned her eyes upon the roses nodding near. Oh! if they were but human, and could help her to escape this man! She felt a curious sensation, as though a net were suddenly flung about her, and she was being gradually drawn toward her old life.

She passed one cold, trembling hand over her eyes, while Crawshaw watched her carefully.

"You know what it is, Nancy," he remarked, coming a step nearer.

She shook her head and shrank away from him.

Crawshaw's face darkened.

"Your memory must be bad, then," he said, curtly. "There is only one question I am likely to ask you, Nancy, and you've heard it before."

She was trembling in every limb now.

"Then I have but to give you the same answer as I have always done," she replied, in a voice that would tremble.

must prove the truth. Miss Leicester entrusted me with some letters for you that have arrived by the second post. Unless I am mistaken I see Henry Chaplin's scrawl among them."

He took the letters out of his coat pocket and handed them to her.

Despite herself she took them. She let the others fall to the ground; they were only invitations to garden parties, etc., in the neighborhood; and sinking onto a seat, she opened her uncle's. Her eyes were dim with growing horror and pain, but she read enough to know that Crawshaw had indeed spoken the truth.

"Nancy, for God's sakes," the poor creature wrote, "save me! I have seen him. He tells me it rests in your hands, child. By your mother's memory, I implore you, save me from a felon's shame—a felon's cell! I was mad—mad with trouble; but I am sane now. I will work to repay him, but he will give me no time. You can alone save me, Nancy—you!"

She crushed in her hand the written cry of the broken-hearted man, her head sank on her breast, while Crawshaw, standing close beside, watched with breathless eagerness the agony she was enduring.

She lifted her eyes, and gazed at the flowers shedding their fragrance on the air, and some words of the poet came back to her in a vague, strange way:

"I shall never again be friends with roses."

Never again would she feel the tumultuous happiness, the exquisite delight, that had grown with their scent only a few short hours ago. It was gone, never to be returned, never to come again!

A lover's dream, short as a midge's life, had been born beside those roses; and now a tragedy—for what else could such a sacrifice be called!—was in progress beneath them.

She was silent so long that the man grew impatient.

"Well," he said, roughly, "what is it to be! I am waiting for your answer, and I must write to my solicitors by this afternoon's post. Have you thought it all out, and are you going to stick to your lover?"—how his eyes glowed as he spoke of Darnley—"and see your uncle—"

Nancy put out her hand with a shudder.

"No—no—not that—I—I consent to—help him."

"You will be my wife?" Crawshaw flung his cigar away, and approached her closely.

Nancy could hardly breathe; her strength seemed to leave her suddenly; she shut her eyes to hide his face from her sight.

"Yes," she said, in choked, strained tones. "if—it is—to save

derstood and sympathized with her anxiety, "I shall send for Dr. Knowles. I have never known Nancy to be ill like this before."

"It is the heat," Lord Merefield, of course, hastened to suggest. "Pon my word, Dolly, my head has been aching like anything all the morning."

"Oh, yes, your head would," Dorothy replied, thoughtfully, glancing at that very boyish object as she spoke. "But Nancy is so different."

Mrs. Darnley caught the last words, and a slight frown came on her face for an instant; but it vanished as she poured out some more claret and lifted it to her lips.

"Doubtless Miss Hamilton was bored, Dorothy," she said, with a gentle smile and drawl. "I have often found a headache a convenient excuse when I wish to be alone."

Dorothy bit her lip.

"Then I hope you have not suffered as poor Nancy is suffering now, when you made such an excuse, Aunt Anne," she answered, hotly.

Mrs. Darnley elevated her brows in a manner that aggravated her niece beyond description.

"I have just come from Nancy's room," Dorothy went on, hurriedly and angrily; "and if you had seen her, poor girl, I don't think you would have been inclined to doubt her illness. She is as white as a sheet, and her eyes look as though some one had struck her two blows, they are so black all round. She tried to get up and speak to me, but she cannot even open her lips. I am quite determined, Merefield"—turning to her cousin, and addressing him alone—"I am quite determined to have Dr. Knowles here, if she is not better soon."

"I will ride over at once," Lord Merefield offered, eagerly. "It won't take me long, Dolly."

"I shall be very happy to accommodate Miss Leicester," Mr. Crawshaw broke in, blandly. He had been lolling back in his chair, very silent, but with a curious smile hovering about the corners of his mouth, a smile which had vaguely irritated and annoyed Miss Leicester.

(To be continued.)

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St. Benedict, Sask., March 20 (Special).—Gladness has replaced the anxiety that reigned in the household of Mrs. Annie Vanvorst of this place. For some time past Mrs. Vanvorst had suffered from Kidney Trouble and palpitation of the heart, and fears were entertained of those terribly sudden fatalities that so frequently accompany

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STILL IN SUSPENSE.

Private Donahue and Private Leahy were the best of friends, but when Private Donahue became Sergeant Donahue, Private Leahy saw the failings of his former companion with amazing clearness.

"Sergeant," he said one day, after long, fixed gazing at his superior in rank, "if a private stepped up to a sergeant and called him a consated little monkey, phwat wud happen?"

"He'd be put in the yard-house," said the sergeant.

"He wud?"

"He wud."

"But if the private only knew the sergeant was a consated little monkey, and said niver a wurd, wud he be put in the yard-house for that?" inquired Private Leahy.

"Av course he wud not," said the sergeant, loftily.

"Well, thin, for the prisant we'll lave it go at that," said Private Leahy.

THE DAY WOMEN RULE.

Candlemas Day is not celebrated in Holland much more than in England, but its place is taken by a festival unknown in this country, says the London Globe. Slipper Day in the Netherlands is the one day in the year in which the Dutch woman claims superiority over her husband. On that day she rules him to her heart's content, and he generally obeys good-humoredly enough. That is, unless she is one of those ladies not unknown in Holland or in any other country who aspire to complete rule over their unhappy partners throughout the year.

FACE SORES AND ERUPTIONS.

Zam-Buk Will Quickly Heal.

The approach of Spring finds many people with unsightly face sores, eruptions, boils, etc. In this connection Zam-Buk is invaluable. Mr. R. H. Barker, of Glencairn, Ont., says:

"I never could have believed that any remedy could cure so quickly and at the same time so effectively as Zam-Buk cured me. My face began to be covered with a kind of rash, which itched and irritated. This rash then turned to sores, which discharged freely and began to spread. I first tried one thing and then another, but nothing seemed to do me much good, and the eruption got worse and worse until my face was just covered with running sores.

"Apart from the pain (which was very bad), my face was such a terrible sight that I was not fit to go out. This was my state when someone advised me to try Zam-Buk. I got a supply, and within a week I could see that the sores were rapidly healing. A little longer, and Zam-Buk had healed them completely, and my skin was as clear as if I had never had a sore."

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ask you, Nancy, and you've heard it before."

She was trembling in every limb now.

"Then I have but to give you the same answer as I have always done," she replied, in a voice that would tremble.

"I think not."

Crawshaw spoke in ominously calm accents. He paused, and then said, with great deliberation:

"Will you be my wife, Nancy Hamilton?"

She retreated from him with a shudder.

"No—no—never!" she murmured, overwhelmed with fear and disgust. "I—I would sooner die! Let me pass. I—"

But Crawshaw was not to be dismissed so easily; he caught her arm, and drew her back.

"Die or not, you shall be my wife!" he muttered, furiously. His face was pale to his lips, and the effect was horrible, with his coal-black eyes and hair. "I have sworn it, and I mean to stick to my oath."

Nancy wrenched her arm from his grasp.

"I am not the lonely, friendless girl I was," she answered him, though she was trembling in every limb. "I have friends who will protect me from such vulgar threats."

"Friends?" he repeated, passionately. "Yes, I know your friend—your lover, Nancy—the man who gets the kisses that belong to me. Well, go to him, and see if he will protect you, and keep your uncle, Henry Chaplin, out of a prison cell."

Nancy was rushing impetuously away, when his last words stayed her: the hot flush of anger died from her face.

"A prison cell?" she repeated, slowly, yet with growing horror. "My uncle what—what do you mean?"

"I mean," said Crawshaw, speaking very quietly, "that your uncle has very foolishly occupied himself with forging my name to the tune of a couple of hundred pounds; that's what I mean, Miss Nancy. This old scoundrel confessed it to me with his own lips only yesterday."

"And—and it rests in your hands?"

The girl's lips could get no further.

Mr. Crawshaw took out a gorgeous case, and without an apology lit a cigar.

"Yes," he said, carelessly, flinging away the match, "it rests in my hands whether I will prosecute him or not; or, rather, I should say it rests in yours, Nancy."

"In mine?"

The two words were whispered faintly.

"Yes, in yours. Marry me and I'll say no more about it, though the old chap has done me out of two hundred quid. But you refuse me, and—well, Henry Chaplin will son."

Nancy paused; her brain reeled. Her uncle, her mother's beloved brother—the only creature in the wide world who had given her love and tenderness in those old miserable days—her poor, broken-down uncle in a prison cell—it was horrible—it—

"I do not believe it!—I do not believe it!" she cried, fiercely, turning on him.

"Then your uncle's own hand

"You will be my wife?" Crawshaw flung his cigar away, and approached her closely.

Nancy could hardly breathe; her strength seemed to leave her suddenly; she shut her eyes to hide his face from her sight.

"Yes," she said, in choked, strained tones, "if—it is—to save him, I—I will be your wife."

With an exclamation of triumph, Crawshaw had her in his arms, and kissed her pale, cold lips.

"At last!—at last!" he muttered. "I've vowed it should be, and it has come. I've loved you from first to last. Even now, when I could marry any woman I chose, I've come back to you, Nancy."

He kissed her again, but she made no response, she lay like an image of stone in his arms. Her apathy angered him. He loosened his hold, so that she staggered back and nearly fell; but as he came near her all her misery awoke, and she felt as though she would go mad if he touched her.

"Go—go—leave me!" she whispered, shrinking farther away from him.

With a savage exclamation, yet with an exultant heart, Thomas Crawshaw obeyed her.

"I have won," he said, triumphantly, to himself; but as he was moving away he turned. "Understand," he said, curtly, "you've not to utter one word of this to a living soul. Let the world know nothing, except that you are my wife of your own free will. If I find out you have spoken to any one of them, I shall put your uncle's case in the hands of the proper authorities without delay."

If Nancy heard, she made no sign, and as she walked away, glorying in his cowardly conquest, she fell prone on the ground in silent agony and unfathomable despair.

And still the sun shone and the roses nodded, heedless of her broken heart and ruined life, heedless that her joyous spirit is lowered, her loving nature.

"All bereft,
As when some tower doth fall,
With battlements and wall,
And gates, and bridge, and all,
And nothing left."

CHAPTER XI.

the long summer day which heralded the evening of Derrick's return; and she expressed such a decided wish for Miss Leicester's companionship, that despite herself the little mistress of Ripstone Hall had to throw up her own inclinations and attach herself to her aunt, who was also her guest.

Luncheon was but scantily attended, for Lady Burton and her two daughters, with Capt. and Mrs. Fairfax, had driven over to another lawn-tennis meeting some miles off; and although Lord Merfield was present, and Mr. Crawshaw also, the meal was only a dull affair.

Dorothy struggled hard to join in her aunt's chatty conversation; but she was depressed with the heat, and distressed at Nancy's sudden and most unusual attack of illness.

"If she is not better in an hour's time," she said, in a low voice, to Lord Merfield, whom she felt un-

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quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. . . . 25 cents.

(Special).—Gladness has replaced the anxiety that reigned in the household of Mrs. Annie Vanvorst of this place. For some time past Mrs. Vanvorst had suffered from Kidney Trouble and palpitation of the heart, and fears were entertained of those terribly sudden fatalities that so frequently accompany affections of the heart. But relief from both ailments was quickly found in the old reliable remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills. In an interview Mrs. Vanvorst says:

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NOT TO HIS KNOWLEDGE.

The object of the suit was to determine the ownership of a cow. One of the witnesses was Abram Reese, a colored man who had worked for the plaintiff.

"I will ask you, Mr. Reese," said the attorney for the defendant, "if you were present when the exchange in question was consummated?"

"I didn't see nuffin o' dat kind, mistuh."

"Perhaps you don't understand me. Were you there when the trade was made?"

"Yes, suh; I wuz dah w'en Mist' Hibbs done trade de buggy fo' Mist' Simmon's cow."

"Wasn't there a different understanding between them at some later period?"

"De unde'standin' 'tween 'em wuz all right, suh."

"I mean, Mr. Reese, did they ever trade back?"

"Not as I knows on, suh."

"So far as you know, then, everything remains in statu quo?"

"No, suh," said Abram, with much positiveness, "dey's bofe of 'em still in Hawkinsville."

Keep an eye on the man who tries to flatter you.

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quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. . . . 25 cents.
TO INCLINE TOWARD MERCY.

Jim had been far from a good boy during the day, and toward nightfall he realized the fact fully. Being well acquainted with the workings of family discipline, he essayed a little diplomacy.

"Shall you tell father about me?" he inquired of his mother.

"Certainly I shall tell him," responded his mother, with sorrowful firmness.

"Shall you tell him before dinner or after dinner?" asked the culprit.

"After dinner," was the announcement.

"Mother," and Jim gave a wriggle of anticipation, "couldn't you have a blueberry pudding for my dessert? Couldn't you do that much for me, mother?"

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

THE SILVER LINING.

It was not always possible for Mrs. Leahy, from her permanent station at the washtub, to appreciate the silver lining which Mr. Leahy continually discovered in every cloud, and pointed out to her.

"I've lost me job, Nora," he said, cheerfully, the other day; "but this is the time you ought to be thankful I'm not as smart as some people."

"Why should I be thankful for that?" inquired Mrs. Leahy, pausing for an instant to wipe her glistening forehead with her damp apron.

"'Tis aisy seen," and her husband gazed tolerantly at her from his comfortable chair by the stove. "If I was Terry Dolan now, and out of me job, I'd be losin' \$2 a day instead of \$1.50. You think o' that, me darlin', an' 'twill put the heart into you, same as it has into me."

DELICATE BABIES NEED BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Mrs. H. L. Boone, Tay Mills, N. B., writes:—"I think Baby's Own Tablets are an excellent remedy to keep in the house and I would not be without them. My baby was not exactly sick, but was very delicate, and I gave him the Tablets and they have made him strong and healthy." Such is the testimony of thousands of mothers. Baby's Own Tablets always do good—never harm. They can be given with absolute safety to the youngest child, as they are guaranteed by a government analyst to contain no harmful drugs. Never give baby "soothing" stuffs that only dopes him. Give him a medicine that will act right on the root of his trouble. A medicine that will strengthen his stomach; regulate his bowels; sweeten the breath and make him bright, healthy and strong—such a medicine is Baby's Own Tablets. They are sold by medicine dealers or at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

LOSING INTEREST.

The garden soon I'll have to dig.
And every blessed minute,
Although my plans for it were big,
I'm losing interest in it.

When a small man is clothed with a little brief authority it is usually hard on those over whom it extends.

"I'm a self-made man, I am."
"Well, there is one thing you needn't worry about." "What is that?" "Taking out a patent."

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 75c.

The late Lord Young of the Scottish Bench was responsible for enlivening many a dull case. One of the best remarks that ever fell from his lips was the reply to a counsel who urged on behalf of a plaintiff of somewhat bibulous appearance. "My client, my Lord is a most re-

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For the politician—capacity-tea.
For the philanthropist—generosity-tea.
For the business man—integrity-tea.
For the maiden—modesty-tea.
For the statesman—authority-tea.
For the wit—brevity-tea.
For the juggler—dexterity-tea.
For the preacher—divinity-tea.
For the newly wed—felicity-tea.
For the man in trouble—equanimity-tea.
For the farmer—fertility-tea.
For the extravagant—frugality-tea.
For the sage—gravity-tea.
For the jockey—celerity-tea.
For the proud—humility-tea.
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—Harper's Weekly.

WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY.

The Year 1910 a Good One for This Company.

On this page will be found a report of business done, profits made and losses sustained by the Western Assurance Company during 1910.

The year's premiums amounted to \$2,699,598.60, which, with interest and other receipts, totalled \$2,776,120.28 as the year's revenue. Fire and Marine losses were \$1,602,537.79, expenses \$950,883.80—total expenditure \$2,553,421.59. The year's profits were \$222,698.69.

The assets are now \$3,213,438.28, which, after deducting liabilities, give a surplus to policyholders of \$1,700,052.66. This Company has paid to policyholders since organization in 1851, considerably over \$34,000,000 in losses. At the annual meeting H. G. A. Cox was re-elected President and Mr. W. R. Brock, Vice-President.

A lady recently advertised for "a girl to do light house work." One of the answers contained an inquiry as to "how often boats ran from the lighthouse to the city."

No man or woman should hobble painfully about because of corns when so certain a relief is at hand as Holloway's Corn Cure.

Almost any truthful married man will tell you that when he quarrels with his wife he doesn't get a chance to say much.

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WESTERN ASSURANCE COMPANY

(FIRE AND MARINE)
INCORPORATED A.D. 1851

HEAD OFFICE TORONTO

Statement for the Year Ending December 31st, 1910

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Profits on Year's Trading.....	\$222,698.69
Assets.....	\$3,213,438.28
Unearned Premiums and other Liabilities.....	1,513,384.62
Surplus to Policyholders.....	\$1,700,052.66
Losses Paid Since Organization of Company.....	\$54,000,727.16

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A flavoring used the same as lemon or vanilla. By dissolving granulated sugar in water and adding Mapleine, a delicious syrup is made and a syrup better than maple. Mapleine is sold by grocers. If not send for 2 oz. bottle and recipe book. Crescent Mfg. Co., Seattle, Wa.

FIRST APPLE TREE.

Planted 85 Years Ago, Seeds Brought From England.

The oldest apple tree in the Pacific North-West, planted eighty-five years ago, by the early officers of the Hudson's Bay Company from seeds carried in their vest pockets from England, has been discovered by A. A. Quamberg, district horticultural inspector, and positively identified. The tree is in front of the chief commissary's office, in the southeast part of this reservation, writes a Vancouver correspondent of the Portland Oregonian.

Col. McGunagle, commanding officer of this post, upon learning of the history of the tree, gave orders immediately to have a fence built around it, a tablet bearing a short history and every precaution taken to preserve it. Inspector Quamberg says the tree may live to be 200 years old.

The record of the tree was written by Mrs. Mary Whitman, of Vancouver, Wash., Sept 12, 1836.

Another record, it is thought by Historian Bancroft, is:

"At a lunch party in London about 1825, given in honor of some young gentlemen who were about to embark for Fort Vancouver in the employ of the Hudson's Bay Company, seeds of the fruit eaten were slowly slipped by some young ladies into the waistcoat pockets of the young men, and upon their arrival

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AGENTS WANTED.—\$3.00 a day easy, No experience needed. Sells on sight. Absolutely necessary to farmers. Does work of thirty men. Pays for itself in one hour. Write to-day. MODERN MACHINERY CO. (Dept. 5), Barnia, Ont.

AGENTS. Be first, get guaranteed territory for selling newly discovered German household remedies. No patent medicines. Big profit. Royal Red Cross Chemical Co., Waterloo, Ont.

FARM Scales, special price. Wilson's Scale Works, 9 Esplanade, Toronto.

LEARN THE BARBER TRADE—NEW system—constant practice—careful instruction—a few weeks' complete course—tools free. Graduates earn twelve to eighteen dollars weekly. Write for catalogue. Moler Barber College, 21 Queen East, Toronto.

FARMS FOR SALE.

tion bench was responsible for livening many a dull case. One of the best remarks that ever fell from his lips was the reply to a counsel who urged on behalf of a plaintiff of somewhat bibulous appearance. "My client, my Lord, is a most remarkable man and holds a very responsible position; he is manager of some waterworks." After a long look the Judge answered: "Yes, he looks like a man who could be trusted with any amount of water."

It is Wise to Prevent Disorder.—Many causes lead to disorders of the stomach and few are free from them. At the first manifestation that the stomach and liver are not performing their functions, a course of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills should be tried, and it will be found that the digestive organs will speedily resume healthy action. Laxatives and sedatives are so blended in these pills that no other preparation could be so effective as they.

When anger comes wisdom takes a vacation:

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

"Mr. Coldeash, I have come to ask for the hand of your daughter." "My daughter, sir?" "Yes, I can't live without her." "Well, sir, finish your sentence." "Finish my sentence?" "Yes, you were about to say you could not live without her income. Let us be candid."

Always Serviceable.—Most pills lose their properties with age. Not so with Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. The pill mass is so compounded that their strength and effectiveness is preserved and the pills can be carried anywhere without fear of losing their potency. This is a quality that few pills possess. Some pills lose their power, but not so with Parmelee's. They will maintain their freshness and potency for a long time.

And the longer a woman is married to a man the more respect she may have for an old bachelor.


Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere.

WELL DESCRIBED.

Nine-year-old Lizzie was taken to her first classical concert the other night.

"How did you like it, Dot?" inquired papa, who had been too busy to attend.

"Most of it was tiresome," said the child. "but there was one lady who gargled most beautifully."



DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

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PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
Your druggist will refund money if PIAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, blood, bleeding or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. See.

While a steel band may be stronger than a brass band, the latter is more successful in holding a crowd.

The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggists'.

NO LIMITS.

"Is your wife a good cook?"
"Is she a good cook? Say, I believe that woman could make something good to eat out of prunes."

TRY MURINE EYE REMEDY.
for Red, Weak, Weary, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids. Murine Doesn't Smart—Soothes Eye Pain. Druggists Sell Murine Eye Remedy, Liquid, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Murine Eye Salve in Aseptic Tubes, 25c, \$1.00. Eye Books and Eye Advice Free by Mail.
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"Dear Father," wrote a youngster of twelve, "we are all well and happy. The baby has grown ever so much, and has a great deal more sense than he used to have. Hoping the same of you, I remain, your affectionate son, James."

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup
Has been used for over SIXTY-FIVE YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES AND CURES THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and get Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. It takes no sugar kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act, June 15th, 1906. Serial Number 308.
AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.

"Father." "Well, what is it?"
"It says here, 'A man is known by the company he keeps.' It that so, father?" "Yes, yes, yes." "Well, father, if a good man keeps company with a bad man, is the good man bad because he keeps company with the bad man, and is the bad man good because he keeps company with the good man?"

If a cough makes your nights sleepless and weary, it will worry you a good deal, and with good cause. To dispel the worry and give yourself rest try Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It exerts a soothing influence on the air passages and allays the irritation that leads to inflammation. It will subdue the most stubborn cough or cold, and eventually eradicate it from the system, as a trial of it will prove to you.

PLANNED FOR HIS EXIT.

An air of assurance distinguished the jaunty young man who had appeared in answer to an advertisement for a clerk; but his manner did not commend him to the leather merchant.

"Is there a good opening here for a young man who keeps his bits about him and doesn't care to begin at the bottom of the ladder?" asked the applicant, before the merchant had an opportunity to speak.

"Yes," he replied, after a comprehensive survey of his jaunty visitor, "there is. A thoughtful carpenter, foreseeing the appearance of just such young men, provided a good opening in the middle of that left-hand wall. Kindly make use of it."

young gentlemen who were about to embark for Fort Vancouver in the employ of the Hudson's Bay Company, seeds of the fruit eaten were slyly slipped by some young ladies into the waistcoat pockets of the young men, and upon their arrival at their destination the young men in overhauling their wardrobes discovered the seeds and gave them to Bruce, the gardener at the fort.

Originally there were three trees which grew from these seeds, but the two others have disappeared.

Hamlin's Wizard Oil is recommended by many physicians. It is used in many public and private hospitals. Why not keep a bottle on hand in your own home?

If a man has a bad reputation it's easy for him to live down to it.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

"Prisoner," said the judge, "you say your wife hit you on the head with a plate. Is that so?" "Yes, sir," answered the prisoner.
"But," said the judge, your head does not show marks of any kind."
"No, sir," responded the prisoner, with a touch of pride; "but you should have seen that plate!"

An Oil That is Prized Everywhere—Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil was put upon the market without any flourish over thirty years ago. It was put up to meet the wants of a small section, but as soon as its merits became known it had a whole continent for a field, and it is now known and prized throughout this hemisphere. There is nothing equal to it.

"I hope our Jim will turn out to be neat and systematic," said Mrs. Hapstead. "I should think he will," answered her husband. "There couldn't be anything neater or more systematic than his applications for money."

Marion Bridge, C.B., May 30, '02.
I have handled MINARD'S LINIMENT during the past year. It is always the first Liniment asked for here, and unquestionably the best seller of all the different kinds of Liniment I handle.
NEIL FERGUSON.

The little boy was stroking his mother's silk dress, as she was expensively ready for her dinner party. "What a beautiful dress, mother!" he said. "Yes," said the mother, instructively, "and do you know it all comes from a worm?"
"A worm?" The little boy looked up, puzzled for a moment. Then, "Oh, yes!" he cried, with a sudden understanding. "Father!"

I OWE MY LIFE TO GIN PILLS.

If you want to see a happy woman, just call on Mrs. Mollie Dixon, 59 Hoskin Ave., West Toronto.

"After ten years of suffering from Kidney Disease, I believe I owe my life to Gin Pills. Before I began using Gin Pills my back ached so much that I could not put on my shoes, but after taking three boxes of Gin Pills these troubles are all gone. It is a pleasure for me to add one more testimonial to the grand reputation of 'Gin Pills.'"
Mrs. M. DIXON.

50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, at all dealers. Sample free if you write National Drug and Chemical Co. (Dept. W.L.), Toronto, Ont.

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FARMS FOR SALE.

NORTHWEST FARM LANDS.—Half a million acres in most fertile districts. Special inspection excursion in April. Write now. Stewart & Mathews Co., Ltd., Galt, Ont. Agents wanted throughout Ontario.

FARMS FOR RENT AND SALE.

ALL KINDS OF FARMS.—Fruit farms a specialty. W. B. Calder, Grimsby.

FARMS FOR RENT.—Township of St. Vincent, 500 acres near Meaford, bordering on small inland lake, 200 acres under cultivation and pasture; good stock farm, good buildings; together with a range for cattle through the woods of about 300 acres. Apply J. W. G. Whitney & Son, 35 Toronto Street.

WESTERN CANADA FARMS.—One million acres for sale, including one hundred improved farms. Geo. Edwards, 317 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg.

89 ACRES Township Euphemis, County Lambton, soil clay loam, 35 acres timber, new orchard, frame house, number of out-buildings. Will exchange for property in North West or for Hardware business in good town. The Western Real Estate Exchange, Limited, London, Ont.

MONEY IN EGGS.—Start right—free offers. Brant Poultry Yards, Brantford, Ont.

WHITE ORPINGTONS.—Best winter layers. Five birds won five prizes Ottawa Winter Show. Illustrated Price List free. Only appearance this advertisement. S. K. Burdell, Ottawa.

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Cleaning and Curling and Kid Gloves cleaned. These can be sent by post, 1c per oz. The best place is
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WASTE PAPER OF ALL GRADES. Also Rags, Iron, Metals, Rubbers, Etc.
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Aside from its low cost, **POWDER PAINT** endears itself to the farmer and others because the work of mixing and applying can be done BY SELF or any handy person at odd times. And there are so many places where Powder Paint will be of the greatest possible worth that it will pay every farmer handiwork to look about and study its uses carefully.
In no other way can a few dollars be invested so profitably as in applying this remarkable weatherproof, fireproof and sanitary paint. The cost is only a trifle, but you will improve the appearance of your property many fold and actually add hundreds of dollars to its intrinsic value. Full information and catalogue mailed on request to

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PILES of all kinds, in any and all stages, quickly relieved and positively cured. Cure your suffering and live quietly. "Common Sense" for Piles will do it. \$1 a box, 50c for 6 boxes. Mailed on receipt of price.

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THE NEW AGRICULTURE

At the meeting of the New York State Agricultural Society, held recently at Albany, President G. C. Creelman of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, was one of the principal speakers. His topic was, "The New Agriculture," and in part he said:—

"To-day there are a thousand and one factors entering into the business of farming, necessitating a very thorough knowledge of a great many sciences, and the tiller of the soil requires a very peculiar education indeed if he is to make a complete success of his work.

"For nearly fifty years, however, we have seen the necessity for special instruction and careful experimentation along agricultural lines. The Federal and State Governments have spent increasing millions on agricultural education, and the end is not yet.

"The question now arises, in this year 1911: Are the farmer and the consumer of farm products getting the full benefit of this effort? I do not believe that too much money has been spent. I think that many of the States of the Union and Provinces of the Dominion might have spent, and may yet spend, very much more money on agricultural education and agricultural experiments, but I do firmly believe that we have shockingly neglected the carrying of the good news to the ordinary farmer on the ordinary farm.

COLLEGES AND STATIONS.

"The agricultural colleges and experimental stations have done and are doing good work. No thinking man can refute the statement that in every State and Province the director of the experiment station has already published and spread broadcast enough specific information to double and treble our annual farm output, if such information were put into practice.

"The problem, then, is not more experiments, more bulletins, more reports, or more speeches, but how to get into actual performance those methods already in practice by our best farmers.

PRESENT METHODS.

"We are not here to criticize the present methods of work. The old agricultural societies have done much good; the Farmers' Institute and the Grange and the movable school and special trains, and the various societies for the promotion of dairying, fruit-growing, poultry-raising, have all done an immense amount of good and should be encouraged, but the fact still remains and stares us always in the face that such efforts are all spasmodic at best and serve the purpose of the revival meeting in church life, and can in no way be expected to look after the backslider, much less them who do not attend such meetings at all.

THE REAL REMEDY.

"The remedy, then, is obvious. We must place a doctor of agricul-

study, and we have made little progress.

The trouble is the school teacher, as a rule, doesn't know anything about farming, so how can she be expected to make any progress in the dissemination of agriculture knowledge? I believe that we have started at the wrong end. In Ontario we have turned face about and are now meeting with some success. We have arranged with the Department of Education to send to us at the college for ten or twelve weeks each year a large number of rural school teachers in attendance at the Normal Schools. It is remarkable what enthusiasm they show in the work. Insects, plants, animal life, the orchard, the garden, the lawn, the experimental plots, the farm itself, all come in for inspection and study, and as each teacher takes a given piece of land and perform all the nominal labor of planting and caring for the growing crop, they soon come to an appreciation of farm life and farm problems such as was never seen in our country schools before."

250,000 PLUM PUDDINGS.

London Manufacturer Made That Many for Last Christmas.

The manufacture of plum pudding in England is mainly confined to London and is carried on by all the principal bakeries, delicatessen and other such establishments. The industry was greatly boomed by the Boer War.

In the opening days of that struggle the Yuletide season increased the natural solicitude for the fathers and sons and husbands in far away Africa, and the plum pudding was requisitioned in large quantities to express the feeling at home and carry at least a spark of Christmas cheer to enliven the soldiers' camp.

Thousands of pounds of plum pudding were sent out, but the demand was far in excess of the supply, a fact which gave greater urgency to the demand and by concentrating general interest in the pudding added immensely to its popularity, and especially as the soldier called loudly for more. The result is that to-day the bulk of plum pudding consumed in the United Kingdom is supplied by public purveyors and hundreds of thousands of pounds are shipped abroad. Manufacturers begin active operations as soon as the new crops of raisins, currants and other required fruits appear in September. All the constituents of plum pudding, which do not include plums, are prepared and manipulated by elaborate and expensive machinery. Currants are washed and stems removed, raisins are stoned, nuts are shelled and ground, oranges and lemons are peeled, the peel candied and cut up, eggs are beaten and all other ingredients prepared by machinery.

Exclusive of milk and rum the ingredients used by a single manu-

THE POETRY OF BIRTHSTONES

IN ANCIENT DAYS EACH MONTH HAD A GEM.

Benefit Was Derived or Ill Dispelled by Wearing the Right Stone.

In ancient days the seers and astrologers gave to gems and semi-precious stones a magical power which brought to men health, wealth and a fulfilling of the heart's desires if worn constantly.

There was a stone allotted to each month of the year, so everyone had his special talisman by wearing the gem allotted. Once in possession of a birthstone the owner is supposed to wear it day and night.

Some one whose name is lost to fame incorporated the names of the months and the stones into rhyming verse, which we find appropriate to send with gifts on a birthday.

GARNET FOR JANUARY.

By those in January born,
No gems save garnets should be worn;
They will insure them constancy,
True friendship and fidelity.

For February the royal amethyst,
Which shades from lavender to rich purple; it is also known as the church stone and is set into the rings made for priests and bishops; the verse is after this fashion:

The February born will find
Sincerity and peace of mind.
Freedom from passion and from care,
If they the amethyst will wear.

FOR WINDY MARCH.

March has the bloodstone for its own. It is beautifully adapted for seal and signet rings. The verse reads thusly:

Who, in this world of ours their eyes
In March first open, would be wise
In days of peril, firm and brave,
Should wear a bloodstone to the grave.

From April the diamond brings its wearer fortune. The ancients claimed this brilliant stone gave power to resist poisons, would dispel brave vain fears and bring success in lawsuits.

Those who from April date their years
Diamonds should wear, lest bitter tears
For vain repentance flow; this stone
Emblem of innocence is known.

THEY SPEAK OF HOPE.

Emeralds have May for their own and their language is "hope," for telling in the verse a happy wifehood to girls born in this beautiful month.

Who first beholds the light of day
In spring's sweet, flowery month of May,
And wears an emerald, all her life
Shall be a loved and happy wife.

Few stones have as many varied charms as these. They were great favorites in olden days and were set in a golden ring.

Who first comes to this world below
With drear November's fog and snow,
Should prize the topaz' amber hue—
Emblem of friends and lovers too.

Cold December has the turquoise for its own. Few of the stones are so endowed, for it has a long list of virtues. One thing peculiar is that to have the free play of its lucky qualities it must be given as a token of love and esteem and not purchased by the wearer.

If cold December gave you birth.
The month of snow and ice and mirth,
Place on your hand a turquoise blue;
Success will bless whate'er you do.

THE PARLOR CARPET.

A Touching Story Which Some Housewives Should Read.

The district school teacher, sweet and twenty, had married the farmer's son. Her hours, writes the author of the every-day tragedy below, which comes from the Craftsman, were lengthened from six to sixteen, and her modest stipend stopped. But she was congratulated: "For now you have a home."

She smiled happily in response. "Now," she thought, "my delft room will come true."

The young people were well-to-do; no labor-saving device was wanting for the men. The farm equipment was of the best. But in the house she found that the old way prevailed, and while her wishes were not denied, they were unimportant. Men's time meant money; hers meant only love.

The agricultural journals that phrased the bucolic mind and advertised quite eight columns of most elaborate and expensive machinery for the ten-hour men outside the house gave her a scanty woman's page, not of the expenditures for her comfort and development in taste, but of makeshifts for her economies. Even the new cream separator meant not an advantage to her, but the withdrawal of the butter money to her husband's purse.

Moreover, the parlor carpet was yet to buy. Five years had toiled away, and the blue and white parlor, painted and papered by her own hands with careful care, draped, but as yet unrugged, waited. Braided rugs elsewhere, yes, but not in one's parlor on a prosperous farm, if only for the neighbors' pride.

She was reduced at last to artful appeal. "The Dorcas Band meets here next time."

Then the man: "I'm going to town. Give me your money and I will get the carpet."

They were not even to choose it together. She left the room without a word. She returned with the original pieces of her savings, hardly a paper bill in the roll, and handed them to him.

"Remember the color, Henry," she said, wistfully. "and if you cannot get blue, do not get a red one, even if we wait till fall. My delft plate hangs there, you know."

He came home late, but jubilant.

"I've got a bargain Smith couldn't sell. The color isn't good, he says, but it will wear forever. I

expected to look after the backslider, much less than man who does not attend such meetings at all.

THE REAL REMEDY.

"The remedy, then, is obvious. We must place a doctor of agriculture in every community, must arrange for him to spend all of his time at the work, and must pay him according to his ability and the work he performs.

"In the Province of Ontario we have inaugurated this method, and we are entirely pleased with the results. As yet each man so appointed has taken charge of the work in a whole county, the county sharing the expense with the Province. So far we have fifteen men permanently located in as many counties, and each man has now an undergraduate assistant during at least the busiest months of the year.

"To secure the service of such a man sincere evidence of co-operation must be made to the Department of Agriculture. The town or county Boards of Trade, the County Council, the various agricultural organizations, and the local high school must unite in the petition and pledge their support to the scheme.

"When appointed a central town or village is selected, where a progressive high school is situated, a good office on the main street with plate glass windows is rented, with plenty of room besides for a combination reading and assembly room. By law four half days in the week may be devoted to a two-year course in agriculture for farmers'.

IN THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The rest of the week, and the time before and after school hours, is devoted to helping the farmers of the county in every way looking to better methods of farming.

"This is not the time or the place to go into the details of the work performed or the results accomplished; but you will see the results when I tell you that since we have started the work thousands of acres of land have been drained, thousands of acres of alfalfa have been planted, hundreds of short courses in stock and seed judging have been held, egg circles have been formed and better prices received for the eggs, co-operative fruit-growers' associations have been organized, with thousands of members and our college and station men have been in such demand for special meetings that we cannot supply half of them. Farmers' clubs have been organized and held regular meetings, orchard demonstrations are held, co-operative societies formed, and, in a word, farming has taken new life and energy, and many other counties are now clamoring for help. We are adding two or three each year and hope in a short time to cover the entire Province.

"Such is the new agriculture for the matured farmer on his own farm.

RURAL SCHOOL PROBLEM.

"We have now a few minutes to discuss the problem that confronts us: how to help the immature farmer or the boy and girl in the rural school. We have tried authorizing text books on agriculture; we have tried sending out pictures of the agriculture college to hang in the school room; we have tried school libraries and school charts; we have sent collections of weed seeds and pamphlets of nature-stones, nuts, are shelled and ground, oranges and lemons are peeled, the peel candied and cut up, eggs are beaten and all other ingredients prepared by machinery.

Exclusive of milk and rum the ingredients used by a single manufacturer in supplying plum pudding to meet the demands of the Christmas season of 1910 aggregated 620,140 pounds, the number of puddings furnished aggregating 250,000. There are three or four other London manufacturers, says the Daily Consular and Trade Reports, each of whose output perhaps equalled that described, and there are quite a large number of smaller establishments in which plum pudding was supplied for home and foreign consumption.

The pudding is put up in packages weighing one to five pounds each and securely packed to secure preservation and safe transportation. Properly prepared and packed the plum pudding of England, with ordinary care on the part of the housewife, will retain its virtues for a year or more.

EDUCATION 40 YEARS AGO.

How It Was Conducted in England Not So Long Ago.

In their efforts to live up to the standards set by the critics of public education to-day, educators might draw some encouragement from the picture of elementary education in England, only forty years ago, given by M. B. Syngé in "The Great Victorian Age."

No one thought of healthy sites or surroundings in those days. Chapels, barns, rag-warehouses, kitchens, and even bedrooms were used as schools. Some were dark, some were cold, some were damp, some were dirty.

The teachers were wholly hopeless—none were considered too old or too ignorant or too sickly to manage and teach young children. Some were domestic servants out of place, some were helpless cripples or consumptives, outdoor paupers or old folk over seventy.

Here is the report of an elementary school in 1869 as seen by one of the inspectors sent out by the Archbishop of Canterbury:

"In a small, low room in a back court were forty-four boys from four to fourteen. In the midst sat the master, a hopeless cripple, whose lower limbs were paralyzed, and who could not stand upright. The boys formed a dense mass round him, swaying backwards and forwards, while he begged them feebly to make less noise.

"In a corner of the room his wife minded six or seven of the younger children. The boys read only from their Bibles. They wrote a little on broken slates, and only two of them could add up a simple sum."

The boys at the top of the school were known as "sixpenny boys," that being their school fee. The more backward were "fourpennies."

TRY THIS.

"Oh, yes," Mrs. Smith told us, "my husband is an enthusiastic archeologist. And I never knew it till yesterday. I found in his desk some queer-looking tickets with the inscription, 'Mudhorse, 8 to 7.' And when I asked him what they were, he explained to me that they were relics of a lost race. Isn't it interesting?"

May, And wears an emerald, all her life Shall be a loved and happy wife.

Few stones have as many and varied charms as these. They were great favorites in olden days and were strung on a silken cord like pearls to be worn in strands around the neck. Of late their rareness has made them almost prohibitive save to the very rich. They are supposed to shield from ague, to protect from storms.

The following verse describes the June stone:

Who comes with summer to the earth,
And owes to June her day of birth,
With ring of agate on her hand
May health, wealth and long life command.

BRIGHT AS JULY SUN.

For July, the glowing ruby. To it the ancients ascribed the power of a peacemaker between friends who had quarreled, and it was also conducive to health and strength. To prevent lightning, storm or blight a ruby was used to touch the four corners of a house or vineyard.

The glowing ruby should adorn Those who in warm July are born; They will then be exempt and free From love's doubt and anxiety.

The moonstone belongs to August. The Romans called it "Lunaris," because they fancied it contained the form of a moon with its translucent rays. It was a favorite with the farmers, as it is credited with the power of making trees fruitful.

Wear a moonstone, or for thee No conjugal felicity;
The August-born without this stone, It is said, must live unloved and lone.

As a preserver from all bodily harm the September child wears a sapphire. It preserves health and disarms treachery.

A maiden born when autumn leaves Are rustling in September breeze,
A sapphire on her brow should bind;
'Twill cure diseases of the mind.

NOT ALWAYS UNLUCKY.

Opals for October. In the middle ages these gems were not supposed to bring bad luck; on the contrary they were supposed to be endowed with the virtues of all the jewels which their colors represent. Perhaps Sir Walter Scott did a great deal to couple ill luck with the opal, as one of his heroines was haunted by bad fortune whenever she wore one of these stones. But the late Queen Victoria did much to restore them to favor as she always gave them in some form to each of her children when they married.

October's child is born for woe,
And life's vicissitudes must know;
But lay an opal on her breast,
And hope will lull these woes to rest.

EMBLEM OF FRIENDSHIP.

For November the topaz with all its golden lustre. Reliable authorities claim that this stone has the power of cooling boiling water if plunged into a seething kettle. Hence its power to calm madness, cool lust, avert sudden death. It brings wealth and favor also.

not get blue, do not get a red one, even if we wait till fall. My delft plate hangs there, you know."

He came home late, but jubilant.

"I've got a bargain Smith couldn't sell. The color isn't good, he says, but it will wear forever. I saved five dollars on it towards the binder."

The carpet which she had to sew was red and green.

The Dorcas Band met with them in the parlor, now carpeted for a lifetime. The young school-teacher—her successor—was present. With a shy, new interest in things domestic, she looked about.

"It must be sweet to have a home of your own," she said, with a pretty blush.

ARTIFICIAL DAYLIGHT.

In an address before the Society of Illuminating Engineers in London, Mr. A. P. Trotter said that the only practical production of "artificial daylight" with which he is acquainted has been achieved by Mr. Cooper in the experiment room of the Brighton Railway. It is done by passing the rays from an acetylene-lamp through a bright-blue screen. The resulting light gives a spectrum that cannot be distinguished from that of daylight. It is not economical, because the screen absorbs half the light of the lamp, but it solves the problem so far as effect on the eyes is concerned. Where economy is no object, says Mr. Trotter, a similar result may be obtained without regard to the source of the light, provided that a suitable screen is used.

POWER OF ILLUMINANTS.

In the discussion of the relative values and qualities of various sources of illumination the following comparative table is used. It shows the intrinsic brilliancy of each source of light in standard candle-power per square centimeter (about 0.155 square inch):

Candle	0.66
Gas flame	0.75
Petroleum-lamp	0.98
Incandescent gas-burner.	5.06
Acetylene flame	6.23
Carbon filament glow-lamp	86.50
Metallic filament glow-lamp	219.50
Arc-lamp (approximate).	3000.00
Sun at zenith (approximate)	90,000.00

STEADYING SHIPS.

One of the latest of the many devices which have been tried for preventing the rolling of ships at sea is Frahm's anti-rolling tank, which has been tested at Hamburg, and it is said, is to be installed on a new 55,000-ton transatlantic liner. It has also been tried on a warship. It consists of a U-shaped water reservoir placed crosswise inside the hull, and so adjusted that the movement of the water, which can be controlled when necessary by a valve, counteracts the oscillations of the ship produced by the waves. The apparatus acts on the principle of resonance of vibration. Applied to two trading-vessels, which were "notorious rollers," the tanks are said to have practically cured the defect.

What do you suppose has become of the old-fashioned woman who used to tie her head up in a towel and sweep the house?

STORY OF THE EASTERN WAR

HOW MAJOR CHICHERIN PREVENTED JAPANESE PLOT.

One of the Most Exciting Episodes of the Russo-Japanese War.

The post of Major Chicherin, who was in charge of the military station at Shun-hang, on the Manchurian Railway, during the Russo-Japanese War, was no sinecure. Much depended on preventing the Japanese doing any damage to the line and stopping the transportation of troops. But although the Major and his staff were constantly on the qui vive, and the sentries and patrols were doubled, a daring little Jap almost wrecked a troop train, which would not only have meant the death of hundreds of Russian soldiers, but would have hopelessly blocked the line at a time when Russia was hurrying every available man to the front. How Major Chicherin saved the train from destruction and thwarted the Japanese plot forms one of the most thrilling episodes of the war.

For some time the major had been uneasy in his mind concerning one of the Chinese coolies—Choting-fu. Spies were everywhere, and one evening, while waiting for another troop train to come through, the Major confessed to the stationmaster that he believed the coolie was really a young Japanese engineer whom he had met five years previously at the Japanese Embassy in Berlin.

To the amazement of the Major he noticed, while talking to the stationmaster, the stoker and the driver of

A HUGE ENGINE

which had helped to bring a heavy transport train in, and which was standing ready for any emergency, turn their backs to the engine, stroll off, and sit on an adjacent wall to smoke.

It was quite contrary to the regulations for them to leave the locomotive when ready to start. A lever pressed by an unthinking or malicious person might put the great machine into motion and change it in an instant into a fearsome monster, scattering death and devastation down the line. The Major was angrily striding towards the men, when suddenly a little man emerged from underneath the engine and sprang up nimbly on the foot-plate. Quick as lightning he had pressed over the starting lever, and with the same rapidity was down again and had disappeared under the carriages of an empty train.

Even while the Major shouted and rushed forward, the great engine, snorting and hissing, began to move ahead, before the amazed engine driver and stoker could make out what had happened. "It's that villain, Choting-fu," yelled the Major, as he drew his revolver and fired to give the alarm. Madly he rushed to the telegraph-room to alarm the military guards all along the line; but to his horror discovered that the telegraph wires had been cut.

"A fearful picture arose before my imagination," said the Major, when describing the incident afterwards. "The runaway engine was under strong pressure; the reservoir was full of water; there was

by the lantern on the pole, but seeing nothing suspicious the engineer had come on cautiously. Needless to say, when the officers and men learned of their narrow escape and the part the Major had played in the affair, they cheered him to the echo.

PATHETIC LITTLE PILGRIMS.

Wanted to See Where Christ Died Upon the Cross.

In his latest book, "The Holy Land," Robert Hitchens tells how, many years ago, coming out of the gateway of the Trappist monastery of Staoveli, in Algeria, in the pellucid clearness of the atmosphere he saw at some distance away a low, earthen tower. Approaching it, he found a donkey circling monotonously round, turning a water-wheel, and crouching near, a dreamy-eyed boy of sixteen—a Breton.

A Breton! And why was he there in the burning African summer, so far from his own gray country? Very simply he told me why.

Always, he said, from his earliest youth, he had longed to stand on the sacred spot where Christ had died upon the cross. He told nothing to anyone of his desire, which at last became so keen that secretly he left his native village and made his way to the nearest seaport. There he saw a ship bound for Algiers.

He was so ignorant of geography that he supposed Algiers was a city in Palestine. So he went on board the ship and presently found himself under the palms of Africa.

In Algiers he nearly starved, perhaps would have starved had he not heard by chance of the good Trappists who feed the hungry outside the "gate of heaven."

One day he walked out of the city, and at last, nearly dead with fatigue and hunger, came to the monastery's door. The monks took him in, fed him, clothed him, gave him work.

"And what are you going to do?" I asked him. "Are you not going back to Brittany?"

"No, monsieur," he replied. "Some day when I have saved some money, I shall go on."

"Where to?"

"I shall go to the Holy Land."

He waved his hand to the far-off horizon; he gazed out over the plain.

"I shall see the Holy Land," he murmured, almost as if to himself. I thought of that boy and his dream as I stood on the upland of Reyak, in Syria, one day of the springtime; for I was at least fulfilling a dream of my own; I was on my way to the Holy Land.

And the poor little Breton? Was he still crouching beneath his tower in the African solitude, or had he wandered away?

Perhaps we should meet again in the Court of the Holy Sepulcher, or among the kneeling pilgrims of Russia, who came to kiss the stone of unction on which, according to tradition, the body of Christ was laid when Nicodemus anointed it.

ANTS THAT COOK.

They Make Dough, Form Cakes and Bake Them in the Sun.

The remarkable habits of the harvester ant have long been known to naturalists. Certain species not only harvest and store in granaries the seeds upon which they feed, but actually plant and cultivate an annual crop of their food seeds.

But now a still more wonderful

RAILWAY TRAVEL IN INDIA

SUPPLYING FOOD TO INFERRIOR "CASTE" MEN.

Holy People Have Meals Specially Prepared for Them in Advance.

An Indian railway time table affords interesting study. It combines voluminous railway information with a considerable amount of matter particularly interesting to the tourist. Caste does not cause the railways so much trouble as might be imagined, judging by all one hears about it in England. Indeed caste distinctions are found to resolve into two main principles. One only concerns us here, the other—the prohibition of intermarriage—having reference to matters outside the radius of a railway official's life, says the Railway Magazine.

A "caste" man must not partake of food cooked or even handled by one of inferior caste. Food is a wide term. A very orthodox person would include medicine compounded by an apothecary. One of more liberal views might receive, say, a plantain (banana) from the hands of an individual beneath him, for the "unclean" hands of the latter would have come into contact only with the skin and not with the part to be eaten.

FLUID REFRESHMENT.

The first and most obvious requirement of any long distance traveller in a hot climate is fluid refreshment. The filter and the glass commonly found in an English dining car would be of no use in India, inasmuch as the native would first of all want to know who put the water in the filter and then who last used the glass. If satisfactorily assured on the latter point, he would nevertheless run no risk of contamination, but would pour the liquid down his throat while holding the glass a few inches above his mouth.

But the orthodox man, taking no risks at all, carries with him a brass water pot attached to a belt, and even then adopts the further precaution above mentioned. At every station a native patrols the platform carrying a skin with a supply of water. Experience has taught the railway companies to be particular as to who is entrusted with this duty. Continuing, the writer says:

I once travelled with a Brahmin who parched with thirst eagerly called for the water carrier at each successive station. But before replenishing his brass pot he

CROSS-EXAMINED THE MAN

as to his antecedents and not being satisfied that he was of sufficiently high caste continued suffering agonies till a wire was sent on ahead, the result of which was that the holiest man of all the countryside was routed out and induced to do duty pro tem.

Fortunately very holy people seldom travel and when they do they contrive to let it be known beforehand so that meals may be specially prepared for them in advance.

On another occasion a celebrated fakir was proposing to travel. His form of self-mortification took the shape of some two hundredweight of chains with which his body was

SOME MYSTERIOUS DEATHS

REMARKABLE TALES OF UNDISCOVERED MURDERS.

Doctors are not Infrequently the Objects of the Spite of Poisoners.

Killed by strychnine in a cup of coffee. That is all that is known about the mysterious death of the late Mr. Scott, and, apparently, all that is likely to be known.

It is curious how frequently coffee is used as a medium by poisoners. In one of the most startling poison cases of recent years, a German nurse-girl, Minna Wagner by name, was poisoned by muriatic acid administered in a cup of hot coffee. The accused was Fraulein Elizabeth von Haussler, the distinguished Lady Superior of the Royal Maximilian Chapter, and niece of the Royal Chamberlain of the Bavarian Court. Evidence was brought that Fraulein von Haussler had, in the presence of the girl, spoken slanderously of a Minister and a Princess of the Bavarian Court, and that Minna had ventured to remonstrate. Here was a motive for the crime; but there was no proof that the accused had ever had such a poison as muriatic acid in her possession. Over 100 witnesses were called, and the trial lasted a whole fortnight.

But the evidence was inconclusive, and eventually Fraulein von Haussler was discharged.

THE FATAL BEER.

Two years ago, a wealthy Philadelphia physician, Dr. William H. Wilson, met his death in a mysterious fashion. One day he received by post a bottle of beer, with a letter, from a brewery, asking him to sample their new brew.

He was sitting at dinner when the packet arrived, with his wife and children. "Let us see what it is like," he said. He swallowed a glassful. Then, as his wife was about to fill a glass, he dashed the bottle out of her hands. "It's poisoned!" he cried, and, rushing out of the room towards his surgery, fell on the floor and died before any antidote could be administered. The brewery denied all knowledge of the letter; and, though a woman of wealth and well-known in society was suspected of the crime, it was never brought home to her.

One day in February, two years ago, the wife of Dr. Vitolo, residing at Olevano, in the province of Salerno, in Italy, received a parcel containing a packet of sweets and a letter signed "Muzio Mattace," saying that in memory of old times, he sent the present, which was to be divided among the family. The two children—a girl of nine and a boy of three. Almost immediately, both fell down in dreadful convulsions. The girl's life was saved, but the poor little boy died in his mother's arms.

When the doctor came home and saw the letter, he said he knew Mattace, but that he was not in Italy, whereas the box had been posted in Naples.

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"A fearful picture arose before my imagination," said the Major, when describing the incident afterwards. "The runaway engine was under strong pressure; the reservoir was full of water; there was plenty of coal in the furnace, and if Cho-ting-fu understood anything about this engine—as the cunning spy undoubtedly did—he must have opened a tap through which flowed

A THICK LIQUID SUBSTANCE, produced from petroleum, and largely used in Russia for heating locomotives. Therefore, the fire would be kept up and the engine would rush onward tearing through long tunnels and over miles of rails to meet the crowded troop train coming the other way. A terrible collision would take place, the line would be hopelessly blocked, and the death-roll must needs be frightful."

Suddenly an idea flashed through the Major's mind. He rushed to a second reserve engine which had stood behind the one started by the spy. The driver seemed to understand him without a word, and, pressing the lever, the engine, tender foremost, moved rapidly out of the station and disappeared into the night in chase of the runaway. Working as he had never worked before, the stoker shoveled on coal, and soon they were tearing through the night at a pace of 80 versts just over 50 miles) an hour. Mile after mile they covered, straining through the gloom to catch the first glimpse of their quarry.

Suddenly the Major was attracted by a cry from the driver as they rounded a curve. In the distance the white light at the back of the runaway's tender swung into view.

"Everything now depended on coolness and dexterity," to quote the Major's own words. "While the stoker piled on yet more fuel I hurriedly explained my plan to the driver, and climbed out on to the coal stacked up in the tender, endeavoring to balance myself as

THE FLYING LEVIATHAN

thundered along the track, swaying dizzily from side to side. The distance between the racing engines diminished sensibly. Presently it was only 100 yards; in half a minute, 50. Then an anxious look came into the driver's face, glued tight to the glass, and his hand went to the lever again. Soon the distance was reduced to ten yards; then foot by foot it narrowed to three.

"A miscalculation now meant irreparable disaster. A couple of seconds and the buffers touched with a scarcely perceptible shock. One spring and I fell with a crash on the pile of coal in front, cutting my face and hands cruelly. Leaping to my feet I scrambled down into the cab and hung on to the lever. With a loud hissing the steam began escaping from the valve, and the great monster slackened its pace. Then I fell unconscious."

When the Major came to his senses he learned that both engines had been stopped only a short distance from the entrance to a long tunnel. The resourceful stoker had jumped out and hung a lantern on a pole in the middle of the track. Then they returned with the two engines to Shunhang. An hour afterwards the long military train steamed in. It had been pulled up

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But now a still more wonderful story is told of an ant which is common in Dalmatia, Messor barbarus. According to Prof. Neger of the well known forestry school near Dresden, this ant not only cuts leaves and gathers seeds but actually makes bread or biscuit.

The seeds are first sprouted, then carried into the sun and dried, then taken back to the underground chambers, where they are chewed into dough. The dough is then finally made into tiny cakes, which are baked in the sun, then carefully stored for future use.

From these observations it appears that the art of cookery is not wholly confined to the human race. All cooking is done by the sun, whether in the ripening of fruit or in the baking of bread in a stove. The heat obtained from fuel is simply stored up sunlight set free.

The Arab and the native Mexican speak of ripe fruit as fruit which has been cooked in the sun. The ant has somehow learned the art of sun cookery, the saliva with which it moistens the grain probably taking the place of yeast and sweetening through changes set up by its influence upon starch.

THE DEMAND FOR FURS.

Causes the Killing of Millions of Animals Annually.

It is surprising to read the following list of animals killed in a single year for use in Great Britain only, says Fashionable Furs.

North America sent 128,000 foxes, 2,100 wolverines, 82,000 beavers, 15,500 otters, besides 2,000 sea otters, 103,000 martens and nearly 9,000 fishers (these two latter are a species of weasel), 202,000 mink, 594 racoons, 867 skunk and 2,000,000 musquash. America also sent 500,000 opossums; Australia 2,250,000 opossums, and 216,000 monkeys came from Africa.

The hare is killed by millions, and rabbits in countless numbers. Then there are the deerskins, mostly used for gloves, also the goats, of which India sends close on 8,000,000 skins a year. Of kangaroo now almost extinct, London uses about 120,000 a year. The supply of mole skins is said to come chiefly from Scotland, and as one mole catcher killed 12,000 moles in six months the process of extermination may advance quickly. With regard to the usefulness of moles, a farmer J. P. Clark, wrote to the Rev. J. G. Wood as follows:

"An old mole catcher came and asked me if I would have the moles killed on my land. I said to him, 'No, if I had no moles I should have no crops.' He replied, 'Sir, you are the first I have ever heard say that, but you are right.' He then went on to say, 'I killed moles once for a gentleman who had a field with a large hill in it. The soil was sandy and full of moles, and vet it used to grow nice crops. I killed the moles and it never grew anything to speak of afterward. The wireworms and cockchafer grubs used to eat the roots of everything that was sown, and the young plants died off.'"

fortunately very, many people seldom travel and when they do they connive to let it be known beforehand so that meals may be specially prepared for them in advance.

On another occasion a celebrated faker was proposing to travel. His form of self-mortification took the shape of some two hundredweight of chain with which his body was girded and with which he tried to enter the carriage assisted by his friends.

But the station master was there, and the result of a somewhat heated argument conducted in a language which for possibilities of vituperation has no equal in the world was that the faker and his chains were hauled off to the weighing machine and full passenger parcel rate was charged on the two hundredweight of old iron on the reasonable ground that it could not be regarded as

WEARING APPAREL

The Hindu likes to have all his savings in a portable form. They do not take the shape of scrip and title deeds, but bars, anklets and armlets of gold and rudely set jewelry. When he travels all his wealth is frequently entrusted to the keeping of a young daughter, whose little legs and arms are wound round with golden bars, while her nose and ears are heavily weighted with jewelry. I once saw on a station platform a little girl about six who was computed to be worth about \$30,000 as she stood.

The practice is not, however, so common as it used to be, for railways naturally disclaim liability in such cases, and there have, moreover, been so many nameless outrages on little girls for the sake of plunder.

FACT AND FANCY.

Lovers' knocks are the thing, though any lover may, if he chooses, come with a ring. Let him never, though, come without a rap.

A friend in need is always wanting to borrow.

Germany produces 2,000,000 glass eyes a year.

Can druggists trace their lineaments in their children's faces.

The Swedish town of Nasso has a female fire brigade.

The demand creates the supply. This, however, does not always apply to a wife's demand for money. Ambition is the only yeast that will make a man rise.

The Chinese believe that short-haired women will be men in the next world.

In its attachment to man the dog is only excelled by the leech.

Trees that grow on the north side of hills make the most durable timber.

MORE PRECIOUS THAN GOLD.

Platinum, which is more rare and expensive than gold, has heretofore been used chiefly for expensive diamond settings. Henceforth it is to be used in all kinds of smaller articles such as stick-pins and studs for men, and ear rings, brooches, rings, chains and bracelets for women. Hard platinum costs wholesale \$42 and the soft variety from \$38 to \$40 an ounce. The retail price ranges from \$52 to \$60 an ounce. This makes the new metal especially desirable according to the jewelers as it is calculated to be almost, if not quite, beyond the reach of persons of ordinary means.

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The last occasion upon which the police unearthed any extensive poisoning conspiracy in this country was in the late 'nineties. A gang of conscienceless scoundrels are known to have committed at least three dozen murders upon individuals whose lives were insured for sums aggregating over \$750,000. The head of the gang was accustomed to attach himself to young men of means in the capacity of valet or courier. He had a most extensive knowledge of poisons, and those which he used were among the ones least known to science. Incidentally, it may be mentioned that, out of over one hundred poisons known to science, not more than forty, at the outside, ever figure in the Registrar-General's returns as causes of death.—London Answers.

INSURED AGAINST BANDITS.

The Robbers Themselves Conducted the Business.

The bandits of Manchuria and Mongolia have adopted a new way of acquiring at least a portion of the goods of the traveller. These mounted highwaymen in bands not only constantly attack the peaceful native population but even rob travellers in broad daylight.

As a provision against this danger, says the Oriental Economic Review, an insurance bureau where one buys a banner, at a cost of about 1-500 of the value of the property to be insured, is established there.

This banner carried by a traveller will save him from the bandit's attack; for curiously enough they themselves conduct this insurance business. But in has its limitations.

"We paid our premium at the insurance bureau," says a Japanese traveller, "secured a red banner, and our party then started from Harbin, using several sturdy poles for ourselves and the carrying of our luggage. After travelling about ten miles, we reached a small town called Taku, where we put up at an inn for the night in order to do business with our customers there.

Several of these customers came to see us in the evening and warned us that there were many mounted bandits in the neighborhood. When we told them there was no cause for anxiety on their account because of the insurance, they informed us that by it our safety was guaranteed only on the highways, but that the bandit bureau was not responsible for what might happen inside of any building."

Magistrate (about to commit for trial)—"You certainly effected the robbery in a remarkably ingenious way—in fact, with quite exceptional cunning." Prisoner (deprecatingly)—"No flattery, yer honor—no flattery, I begs of yer."



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Boys, Boys, Boys.

The Canadian Century are sending 20 Canadian Boys on a five weeks trip to England during the coronation. Their advertisement appears in this issue and will be read with interest by our boys.

Reciprocity

Means "equal benefits to be mutually yielded or enjoyed." For instance, if you buy your wall paper at Paul's you are benefitted by having the best paper in the market and he is benefitted by making the sale to you. This being a "mutual benefit" is Reciprocity. Try it.

Easter Lilies Scarce.

Notwithstanding the reported failure in the growth of the Easter Lily this season, we expect to be able to supply our customers as usual, having made special arrangements with the Dale Estate Florists to have our orders filled. You can get Dale Estate quality in flowers at Hooper's—Napanee's Largest Drug Store.

Broke His Ankle.

On Tuesday, being under the impression that he had a big contract to fulfil in the west, Frank Empey, aged forty, a patient at the Rockwood Asylum, Kingston, purloined a screw driver which a workman had used in making repairs, and when no person was watching forced the screen off the window on the second storey and jumped to the ground. His leg was broken at the ankle, but in this condition he ran several yards before he was captured by a guard. The broken bone had torn the sinews and nearly penetrated the skin and the foot was turned around when he was captured.

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St. Mary Magdalene Church.

Palm Sunday, April 9th, Holy Eucharist at 8 a. m.; Morning prayer and Litany at 10.30; Evening prayer, 7 p. m.

Flowers for Easter.

Easter Lilies, Valley, Carnations, Violets, Roses, Table Ferns and Palms fresh from the Dale Estate Florists. Leave your order with us early so that you will be sure of getting just what you want. At The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper, sole agent for Napanee.

Books! Books!

Just a line to remind my customers, that I am still representing the Upper Canada Tract Society, in Mr. Chas. Stevens' old stand, west of the market, on Centre street. I have a lot of excellent literature, Bibles, Hymn Books, etc., and at reduced prices. Give him a call.
17c-p **JAS. GORDON.**

An Easter Tea and Concert.

Will be held Tuesday, April 18th, in the Town Hall, under the auspices of the Churchwoman's Guild, of St. Mary Magdalene's Church. During the afternoon there will be a sale of aprons and many other useful articles. Supper will be served at 5.30. The evening's entertainment will begin at 8 o'clock, supplied by home talent. Tickets for supper and entertainment, 35c, entertainment alone 25 cents.

Parish of Selby.

Service list for Sunday, April 9th: 10.30 a.m., St. John's, Selby; 3 p.m., St. Jude's, Kingsford; 7.30 p.m., St. Jude's, Strathcona. Good Friday: 10.30 a.m., Kingsford; 3 p.m., Strathcona; 7.30 p.m., Selby. Easter Day: 7 a.m., Strathcona; 9 a.m., Selby; 11 a.m., Kingsford. A celebration of the Holy Communion at all of these services. There will be a special meeting of the Ladies Guild on Wednesday, at the rectory, at 2.30 o'clock.

Pianos.

The place to select your piano is from VanLuvén Bros. stock at Paul's music store, Napanee. We have several makes, including the celebrated Gerhard Heintzman and Newcombe. You can see the different styles, hear the different tones, and take your choice. We trade for anything, we

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RECIPROCITY

PUBLIC MEETINGS

will be held in the

Town Hall, Odessa,

Wednesday, April 12th

at 2 p. m.

Town Hall, Tamworth

Wednesday, April 12th

at 8 p. m.

under the auspices of Lennox and Addington Liberal Association to discuss the trade issue.

The following and other speakers will address the meeting

HON. A. G. MACKAY
and
J. McD. MOWAT.

The public, irrespective of Party affiliations, are cordially invited to attend.

F. F. Miller, H. B. Sherwood,

was quashed on a technicality on Thursday.

See our beautiful pianos at A. E. Paul's book and music store, Napanee. VANLUVEN BROS., Moscow.

Mr. Chas. Vanalstine has purchased the S. G. Hawley house on Robert street, where his customers may find him in future.

W. A. Rockwell, of Detroit, Mich., will be here several weeks and will be glad to receive any orders for piano tuning. Orders will be promptly attended to. 17-cp

A meeting of the representatives of the towns in Eastern Ontario interested in securing Hydro Electric Power will be held in Brockville to-day, (Friday).

The Daughters of the Empire are planning to hold a novel entertainment on the afternoon and evening of May 18th. General public requested to remember the date.

Itch, Mange, Prairie Scratches, Barber's itch, and every form of contagious Itch on human or animal cured in 30 minutes by Wolford's Sanitary Lotion. It never fails. Sold by—T. B. Wallace

Remember the bazaar and cooked food sale in the dining room of Trinity church, on the afternoon and evening of Friday, April 7th, opening at 2 o'clock. Admission free. Afternoon tea will be served. 16-b

Many things of interest and of value to our readers will be found in the local advertising this week. In fact it will pay you to glance over them each week. It may be the means of saving you money in many instances.

The Steamer Reindeer is at present undergoing a thorough over-hauling and being painted and put in shape for the opening of navigation. The work is being rushed, and when navigation opens she will be placed on the same route as last season.

I have a quantity of artificial fertilizer, suitable for tomatoes, fruit trees, and all garden vegetables: grain, meadows, etc. Also a lot of spraying machines, in all prices and sizes. One door east of Potter & Blanchard's machine store, Campbell House block. W. A. ROSE. 16-b

Miss Elizabeth Furnival, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Furnival, was quietly married in Toronto, on Tuesday, of last week, to Mr. Clare Calvin, formerly of Galt, now of Portland, Ore. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin left for their western home immediately after the ceremony.

A. S. Kimmerly is selling immense quantities bran and shorts. Five Roses flour beats the world. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery. 8c bottle, Dods Kidney Pills, 35c box. Try our 15c tea. Good black tea 25c. Package corn starch 5c, bulk starch 5c.

Robert Brown, an aged resident of Napanee, passed away on Saturday morning at his residence, Centre St., Mr. Brown was fifty-four years of age and had been an invalid for a number of years. Besides his widow two daughters, Mrs. A. E. Caton and Miss Stella Brown and one son, Mr. Frank Brown, remain. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon.

At the home of the bride's uncle, George H. Wilson, in Utica, N. Y., on Wednesday, of last week, Miss Minerva Estelle Jones, daughter of Mrs. Louisa F. Jones, Deseronto, Ont., was united in marriage with Francis Habbach, Buffalo, N. Y. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Jessie C. Taylor, Kingston, Ont., and the best man was Frederick Wilson, Utica. They will reside in Buffalo after April 15th, where the groom is employed by the the Pierce Arrow Motor Company.

Bargains in Marble.

I have on hand \$500 worth of marble monuments, blocky headstones and grave markers, to clear them out of my way in view of erecting a new shop. Corner post from \$1.00 each upwards. At the old stand

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Reciprocity Meetings.

Probably no question in recent years has aroused the interest of the farmers as much as the present reciprocity agreement with the United States. In order to give the farmers and all interested in the question an opportunity to hear the matter discussed, The Lennox and Addington Reform Association have made arrangements to hold meetings at Odessa at 2 p. m. and Tamworth at 8 p. m., on Wednesday, April 12th. Hon. A. G. McKay, leader of the opposition in the Ontario Government, J. McD. Mowat and others will address the meetings and the reciprocity question will be fully discussed. The public are cordially invited to attend these meetings irrespective of politics.

Kodaks, the genuine Eastman.

Sold in Napanee only at Wallace's Drug Store, where you can get your films developed, printed, etc. Be sure to enclose postage when ordering films by mail.



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the Holy Communion at all these times. There will be a special meeting of the Ladies Guild on Wednesday, at the rectory, at 2 30 o'clock.

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Blackleg Vaccine at Wallace's.

We keep a supply of fresh vaccine for blackleg in cattle all the time at Wallace's Drug Store, Napanee. Send by mail for it if you like. We sell the injector too.

THE QUEEN'S MARIES.

On the occasion of the coronation of the Queen it is proposed that the Maries of Canada shall unite with their name-sakes throughout our British Empire in offering a gift to Her Majesty.

The Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire have been asked to collect for the gift in Ontario. Contributions will be received from five cents to five dollars, and may be given only by those who bear the name Mary, May, Maria, Marian, or Marie. A list of contributors will be forwarded but not the amount given by each.

The choice of the gift will be left entirely to the Queen. It is hoped that the Maries of Canada will appreciate the opportunity of showing their affectionate loyalty to Queen Mary.

The list must be closed by April 20th. As the time is so short it would greatly help the committee if all who are interested will send in contributions with name in full, as early as possible to Mrs. J. H. Madden, Napanee or to Miss Plummer, Sylvan Tower, Toronto.

Committee—Lady Meredith, Lady Falconbridge, Lady Walker, Mrs. Edmund Bristol, Mrs. Anden, Mrs. Geary, Mrs. James George, Mrs. F. B. Fetherstonhaugh, Mrs. Harold Beckford, Mrs. R. C. H. Cassels, Miss Mary Estelle Nordheimer.

Miss Plummer—Secretary Treasurer.

Mrs. Albert Gooderham—Convener.

The following "Queen's Maries" have contributed to the coronation gift: Mrs. W. S. Herrington, Mrs. Uriah Wilson, Mrs. Maria Young, Mrs. Mary J. Daly, Mrs. Mary Hosey, Mrs. Mary A. Bowen, Mrs. J. H. Madden, Miss Mary Marguerite Hopkins, Miss Marie Miller, Miss Mary Aloysia Prout, Miss Grace May Joyce, Miss Marion Magee, Miss Lottie May Parks, Miss Neta Mary Smith, Miss Mary Jane McGreer, Miss Mary Isabella McGurn, Miss Flossie May Baldwin, Miss Lorenia May Wilson, Miss Mary Ethel Boyes Wilson, Miss Mary Helen Alkenbrack, Tamworth.

The following additional Queen's Maries have contributed to the coronation gift:

Miss Marion Kayler, Miss Bessie Marie Woodcock, Miss Mary Margaret Daly, Miss Dorothy May Sine, Miss Frances Mary Gleason, Miss Mary Eleanor Costigan, Miss Mary Craig Derry, Miss Marion Ethel Wales, Miss Alice Marie Helen Johnson, Miss Ethel May Brown, Miss Jennie May Coates, Miss Mary Helen Loyst, Miss Mary Ettie Johnson, Miss Mary O'Shaughnessy, Mrs. W. F. Gerow, Miss Lilla May Shier, Northbrooke, Mrs. Lillie May Wilson, Enterprise, Miss Mary Jane Chalmers, Dorland.

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The directors of the Lennox and Addington Mutual Fire Insurance Co., passed upon 43 policies (new and renewed) aggregating \$85,530 of insurance in the month of March, which far exceeds all records of corresponding date in any previous year. The advantages of doing business with a purely farmers company, at our own home town, with a policy framed to suit the requirements of the farmer is shown by the endorsement of the best farmers in these counties. Patronize home institutions.

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Brisco Opera House.

Thursday, April 13th, the attraction at the opera house will be "Montana" a romance of the western plains. This attraction will be presented by Harry D. Carey, and is abounding in clean comedy. Mr. Carey plays the leading roll, Jim Graham. The company is an exceptionally strong one, and among others include Fern Foster, Adelaide Cumming, Thos. J. Fitzpatrick, Butler Mandeville, Rexford Burnett, and Claude L. Gourand, opera house orchestra in attendance. Seats on sale at Jessop's drug store Tuesday noon.

You will need a Gas Range or Oil Stove this summer. You owe it to yourself to see our Chicago Jewel Gas Stoves, and our New Oil Stoves.

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Golf Club Annual.

The regular meeting of the Napanee Golf Club, was held at the office of the Secretary on Monday evening, April 3rd. After the reading of the Annual Reports, which by the way included a very favourable financial statement, the following officers and directors were elected for the coming year:

President—Mr. Herbert Daly.
Vice-Pres.—Mr. B. G. H. Travers.
Sec-Treas.—Mr. Clarence M. Warner.
Directors, Dr. Leonard, Mr. John W. Robinson, Mr. T. B. German, Mr. D. L. Hill, Dr. Cartwright and Mr. W. C. Smith. After the business was concluded the Governors met and appointed committees. Several new members were admitted, and a general discussion of the plans for the coming season followed. The meeting adjourned at 9:30 p. m.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

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The United Empire Loyalist Chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire is gratified at the generous response with which its appeal for the Queen's Maries fund has been met. A large number of Maries have already sent their contributions and it is hoped that many more will take advantage of this opportunity of showing their love and loyalty to our Queen.

The following resolution was passed at the last regular meeting of the Chapter: "It has come to the knowledge of the Local Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire, that the notice placed under their authority in various localities soliciting subscriptions for the Queen's Maries Corona tion Fund, has been maliciously torn down, which act is not only most disloyal to our gracious Queen, but an insult to her as well as to our First Vice-Regent, whose name appears on the notice before mentioned. It is therefore deemed proper, that the United Empire Loyalist Chapter should place itself on record as protesting against any such malicious and disloyal act".

Photographs a Bullet.

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TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, April 9th.

Palm Sunday—Sermons morning and evening by the pastor, Rev. G. W. McColl.

Music—Male choir, 18 voices, both services, assisted by Mr. W. A. Rockwell.

PERSONALS

Mr. Cecil Foster spent Sunday last in Kingston.

Mrs. Botting and Mrs. H. E. Fralick and family leave on Monday for Calgary to join Mr. Fralick.

Mrs. Cummings, Toronto, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Lena Herrington was home from McDonald College, Guelph, for a couple of weeks holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. U. M. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bogart were in Kingston on Thursday, attending the opera.

Mrs. J. W. Anderson, Seattle, is visiting friends at Moscow.

Mrs. Geo. Thompson and little son, of Montreal, is the guest of her aunt, Miss Fraser.

Mr. F. James Roblin was in Belleville on Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Dickinson entertained a few of their friends on Thursday evening last.

Mr. Earl Loucks left on Sunday for Belleville, where he has secured a position.

Mrs. Alex Hogue left on Friday for Syracuse, N. Y. after spending a couple of months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Vanalstine. Her sister, Miss Laura, accompanied her.

Mr. Herbert Ainslee, of Kingston, has accepted a position at the King Barber Shop.

Mr. Jas. E. Herring, of Toronto, was a visitor in town this week.

Mrs. Dr. Dunlop, Alpena, Mich., who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Dorland, Dorland, returned to her home on Thursday last.

Miss Laura Stovel, Collingwood, is spending a few days in town.

Mr. and Mrs. V. N. DeMille are visiting her brother, Mr. Arthur Oton, and sister, Mrs. W. R. Lott.

Mr. G. M. Taylor is spending a couple of weeks in Woodstock. His mother, Mrs. Jas. Taylor, will return with him.

Dr. Day Allison and family left last week for Camden, N. J., where they will reside.

Miss Manion has returned to her home in Kansas city, after a six months visit with Miss Sadie Ham.

Mr. Gerald Loyncs of the Crown Bank staff, has been transferred to Toronto. On Saturday night a number of his friends tendered him a complimentary supper at Cambridge's restaurant.

Mr. Belyat Outwaters, Hay Bay, left for the west last week.

Mrs. Thomas Polmateer, Erinsville, was in town on Friday last.

Miss Jessie Neilson left on Thursday last for Philadelphia to visit her cousin.

Mrs. Dr. Leonard was in Belleville on Friday last attending the funeral of a friend.

Mrs. Dr. Dorland, Dorland, spent the week end the guest of Mrs. Robt. Mills.

The engagement is announced of Miss Carrie Lew Knapp, eldest daughter of Mrs. T. O. Knapp, Selby, to Eugene Miller Badgley, youngest son of the late Philip Badgley, Thurlow, the marriage to take place in April.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Spencer, Napanee, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Anna Perle, to Hiram T. Webb, son of the late Thomas Webb, Brighton. The marriage will take place in April.

Miss Hattie Miller and her niece, Miss Hazel Miller, Elm Creek, Man., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miller, Switzerville, after an absence of five years.

Miss Nellie Collins returned to Toronto on Saturday, after a three months visit with her cousin, Mrs. Ed Boyle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. S. Derry entertained a number of their friends on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Burpee and daughter, Lois, (nee Miss Gertrude Connolly,) of Mannakee, spent a few days this week the guest of Mrs. Rev. Kidd.

Messrs. F. F. Miller, Mayor Kimmery and Mr. C. A. Walters go to Brockville to-day to meet the representatives of the Hydro Electric Commission to discuss power matters.

Mr. W. O. Stevens is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stevens.

BIRTHS.

SWITZER—At Desmond, on March 25th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Switzer, a son.

FRETTS—At Hawley, on March 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fretts, a daughter.

PORTER—At Flinton, on Tuesday, March 28th, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. James Porter, a son.

MAHRIAGES.

CAMPBELL—BLAIR—At Toronto, on Thursday, March 30th, 1911, Miss Florence Blair, of Toronto, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blair, to Mr. Arthur Campbell, of Toronto.

PRINGLE—BRAGG—At Victoria, B. C., on March 8th, 1911, Miss Louise Bragg, of Victoria, B. C., to Mr. I. Gibson Pringle, of Victoria, formerly of Napanee.

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DEATHS.

McGEE—At Napanee, on Sunday, April 2nd, 1911, Thos. V. McGee, aged 39 years, 2 months, 11 days.

McNEILL—At Napanee, on Thursday, April 6th, 1911, Ellen Alicia McNeill relict of the late Archibald McNeill, aged 75 years.

LONGIE—At Kingston General Hospital, on Wednesday, April 5th, 1911, Mrs. Esell Longie, aged 33 years.

CARD—At North Fredericksburgh, on Monday, April 3rd, 1911, Marshall G. M. Card, aged 50 years, 1 month, 3 days.

JOYCE—At North Fredericksburgh, on Tuesday, April 4th, 1911, Mrs. Mabee Beatrice Joyce, aged 29 years, 1 day.

BROWN—At Napanee, on Saturday, April 1st, 1911, Robert Brown, aged 54 years.

MITCHELL—At Galdstone, Michigan, on March 20th Margaret Miller, only child of Dr. and Mrs. James Mitchell (nee Eva H. Miller,) and granddaughter of Mr. P. E. R. Miller, Switzerville.

The people around the town and country-side are always talking about Ramsay's Paints. They say that a house painted with Ramsay's Paint is the only proper thing to have. There must be something in this, and we find a solid guarantee goes with these paints. They are sold by T. B. Wallace.

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Class IV—Clara Luffman, Maud McCabe, Leta Luffman, Charlie McCabe, Ward Nolan, Reginald Beasley, Wilfrid McCabe.
Class III—Hazel Luffman.
Class II—Hazel McCabe, Elsie Meredith, (absent.)
JR II—Evelyn Parks, Ernst Stone.
PT I—Marjorie Parks, Wilfrid Sharp, Elva Parker.
Primer—Edna Black, (absent) Bert Davey, (absent.)

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